

# It's News Here!

## Driver Charged with O.U.I.L.

A Mancelona driver was charged with operating a vehicle while under the influence of liquor after hitting a wooden sign and a tree along M-72 West. The vehicle was totaled when it struck the tree near the Free Methodist Church about 2:41 a.m. Sunday morning. The Mancelona man was taken to Mercy Hospital, treated, and released.

## Commission on Aging Meal Change

Effective Wednesday, May 1st., meals will be served Monday through Thursday at 4:30 p.m. The Friday meal will continue to be served at 12:00 Noon.

The congregate dining program offers seniors a nutritious meal and provides the opportunity to socialize and meet new people.

The meals are served within the Grayling Housing Facility, 308 Lawndale Drive, and the community is welcome to attend.

Regardless of income, persons over 60 years, or their spouse is over 60, can eat for a \$1.35 donation.

For guests under 60, the cost is \$2.50. For more information, please call 348-7123 or 348-8031.

## Clocks Spring Ahead 1 Hour

Crawford County residents need to set their clocks ahead one hour this weekend to keep in step with Daylight Savings Time. The clocks switch forward one hour at 2 a.m. Sunday.

## City of Grayling Begins Annual Spring Cleanup Program

In advance of the Summer season, the Police Dept. again will be mailing correspondence to owners, or tenants of businesses, and private residents having questionable material accumulated on their property. Citizens are requested to cooperate jointly in this attempt, anyone wishing information as to methods for disposing of junk, or old vehicles, may contact the Grayling City Office (348-2131). Pick-up will begin Monday, April 29th.

## Scholarships Available for GHS Students

Ten area scholarships are available for Grayling High School seniors planning on attending college. Students may pick up applications for the following scholarships at the GHS counseling office: Kimberly Ostrowski-Steel Memorial, St. Mary's Catholic Church, American Business Women's Association, Grayling Youth Booster Club, Grayling High School Alumni Association, Carl W. Borch's Scholarship, AmVets & AmVets Auxiliary, Crawford County Arts Council, Grayling Lions Club, and Kirtland Community College. Students should pick up applications immediately.

## Middle School Meeting Series Set for Lovells, Frederic, Grayling

The Crawford AuSable School District Board of Education is seeking community input regarding the possible renovation of the middle school buildings and site and possible maintenance/construction projects at other district buildings and sites. A series of three meetings will be held during the next two weeks.

The first meeting will be held at three different locations in an effort to give as many people as possible an opportunity to attend. The purpose of the first meeting will be to share information previously researched regarding renovation, to share information regarding funding, to answer questions, to gather input, and to begin to identify alternative solutions. The second meeting's purpose will be to thoroughly outline all identified alternative solutions. The purpose of the third meeting will be to prioritize alternatives for the Board's consideration.

The meeting schedule is as follows: First Meeting: (same meeting repeated three times) Monday, April 29, 7:30 p.m. Middle School Library; Tuesday, April 30, 7:30 p.m. Lovells Township Hall; Thursday, May 2, 7:30 p.m. Frederic Elementary School.

Second meeting: Monday, May 6, 7:30 p.m. Middle School Library.

Third Meeting: Tuesday, May 7, 7:30 p.m. Middle School Library.

To make for the most efficient collection of input and development of a proposal, it is important for participants to be able to attend at least the first two meetings if not all three. Persons wishing to participate should contact Jean Smith at the district Central Office at 348-7641.

## Alaska Wilderness Fishing Featured Program at Fish Hatchery Dinner

Bernie Fowler will present a special program on Alaska Wilderness Fishing at the Grayling Fish Hatchery fish dinner Wednesday, April 24 at the Chief Shoppenagons Hotel.

Tickets are \$5.95 a person for the fish dinner. Tickets are available from Skip's Sport Shop, Wert's Lone Pine Inn, Josie's Flowers, Chief Shoppenagons Hotel, and RSVP at AuSagre Acres.

## Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period April 24 thru May 1, 1985.

Firing will be in the following areas on the dates and times indicated.

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd, east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin at 8:00 AM (Daily) and cease at 5:30 PM (Daily).

The Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Rd., east of Jones Lake Rd, south of County Rd 612 and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin at 8:00 AM (Daily) and cease at 10:00 PM (Daily).

The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified.

## Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fick)

Apr.	Hi	Lo	Other
16	50	26	Clear
17	40	24	Flurries
18	77	30	Sunny
19	72	47	Sunny
20	86	48	Sunny
21	87	57	Sunny
22	88	55	Sunny

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**WARM OPENER?** — Will the weather stay warm for a good trout opener? Past opening days of Trout Season have come with that white stuff on the ground. In this photo, the fisherman was bundled up for 40 degree temperatures.

## Trout Season Opens On Rivers Saturday

If warm weather continues until Saturday, a good trout season opener could be in store for fishermen.

"It looks hopeful if the weather doesn't change," said Skip Madsen, of Skip's Sport Shop, on Tuesday morning. "If we don't get a lot of rain there should be lots of bugs around this weekend."

Madsen said stone flies were hatching on the lower part of the AuSable and Hendrickson's would be out soon if the weather holds.

Warm weather was still needed between Tuesday and Saturday to help bring the water level down, he said.

Madsen said despite the high temperatures in the 80's recently, insect hatches are still near normal dates.

"It hasn't been warm for that long," he said. "Fishing and business from fishermen

has been about normal this spring."

Wally Dabrowski, working with Rusty Gates at Gates' Lodge, said continued warm weather could bring an excellent trout opener.

"The river is clearing up and dropping fast enough to have a good opener Saturday if we don't have any cold rains," he said.

Dabrowski said the recent intense summer-like heat has only brought insect hatches back near normal dates after a late-breaking spring. Two weeks ago there was still snow in the woods he pointed out.

Dabrowski also thought the Hendricksons would be around this weekend if warm weather continued. He said the warm weather in the past week has brought out more fisherman on the main branch of the AuSable this year compared to last year at this date.

## Pregnancy Crisis Center To Open in Grayling

A pregnancy crisis center for women of all ages will open full-time May 1 in Grayling.

The Door of Hope Pregnancy Crisis Center will be operated through the Open the Door Ministries, Inc., a non-profit group, with help from the Christian Action Council.

The center will provide information concerning pregnancy, abortion, and alternatives. The center can help by also referring girls and women to medical care, social services, adoption and foster care agencies, pastors, and Christian counseling.

The center offers a free pregnancy test that is 97 percent accurate. The girls or women are urged to confirm results with their doctor.

The center also will offer clothing for mothers and babies in addition to support for women who have gone through abortions.

The center has a 24-hour hot line, 348-4151, and all information is kept confidential.

Helen Campbell, one of eight volunteers staffing the center, said girls or women do not even have to give their last name. A number system is used for files.

The center is located at 609 Cedar upstairs from "The Parlor". The hours are Monday to Friday, 1 to 5 p.m., Monday 7-9 p.m., and Saturday by appointment. The eight staff volunteers have gone through 18 hours of training provided by the Christian Action Council and continued training is offered.

The center is in need of more maternity clothes and baby clothes. Clothes may be dropped off at the center. Any money donations for the center can be sent to the Door of Hope Pregnancy Crisis Center, P.O. Box 711, Grayling.

A home for pregnant teenagers, a separate operation from the crisis center, is also being planned for the Grayling area. More information about the home will be available in future issues of the Avalanche.

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## 2 Grayling Stores Selected for Lotto

By Jon Thompson

Two Grayling stores, Ole Dam Party Store and Glen's Market, will be receiving Lotto terminals according to Richard Northcut, lottery regional manager.

Northcut, who's regional office is located in Grayling, said the tentative schedule for installing the Lotto terminals is near the end of June or the first of July.

Northcut made an announcement last Wednesday that the two stores had been selected from nine stores that applied for the terminal.

He said lottery officials are trying to place at least two terminals in every county. Since Grayling is the traffic hub of Crawford County, they decided to place terminals at two ends of the city.

Ole Dam Party Store is located at the junction of West M-72, M-93 and Old Dam Road. Glen's Market is located on South I-75 Business Loop.

Northcut said in an earlier interview one of the most important qualifications for a terminal location is the capability of the store to sell tickets. He said the state wants good sales and the store needs to sell enough so they are making money. The terminals are installed at no cost to the business, and the business receives six percent commission on every ticket sold at that location. There are no more bonuses to stores for selling winning tickets.

The lottery terminal handles the Lotto game and the three and four digit daily games.

## Forest Fire Season Begins in County

By Jon Thompson

A small two-acre fire off Military Road in Beaver Creek Township Saturday officially kicked off the forest fire season in Crawford County.

The fire burned mostly grass and a few red pine and was contained quickly by Department of Natural Resources forest fire fighters and the Beaver Creek Township volunteer fire department.

Although summer-like temperatures arrived early in Crawford County this year, the forest fire season started about the same date as usual.

DNR forest fire fighter Duane Brooks said there have been fires as early as the first week of April. The peak time for forest fires here is the second week in May. He says it's usually warm, windy, the grasses and leaves are dry, and there's not enough green growth to hold a lot of moisture.

The last big fires to strike Crawford County both came during the second week in May of 1975 - the Bald Hill and North Down River Road fires.

Brooks said the most dangerous times for forest fires here is not in the hot days of summer as many people think but in the spring after snow cover is gone and before the forests have abundant green growth.

What was unusual about this spring and the hot weather was how fast the snow cover left. He said in two weeks the snow was all gone once the warm weather came.

Brooks said the water table is high right now and there's still quite a lot of moisture in the ground after abundant snowfall and spring rains. But the AuSable River Valley is still one of the most dangerous forest fire places in the country, he says. The large stands of jack pines and the shape of the valley could lead to a big forest fire.

Last year, Brooks, Frank Barber, and Jim Gray, the forest fire fighters at the DNR Grayling office, along with volunteer DNR forest fire fighters, were called to 48 fires that covered 964.2 acres. The biggest fires last year were two fires on April 28 that covered 288 acres off North Down River Road east of Grayling. There were eight fire fighting units at the scene of those fires within 15 minutes, but because of winds and dry conditions, the fires couldn't be contained.

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DNR Forest Fire Fighter

the main cause of fires outside of the military ranges. Campfires very seldom are the cause of forest fires around here and lightning causes only about one fire a year in Crawford County.

Anyone starting a fire in Crawford County must obtain a burning permit when the ground is not snow-covered. Permits are free and can be obtained in person at the Grayling DNR field office or by telephone 348-6371. During fire season, the DNR office is manned seven days a week 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Brooks said there are several reasons for burning permits. First, in hot, dry, and windy conditions, the DNR can deny permission to burn. Second, some items can't be burned because of air pollution laws. Third, the DNR has the location of the fire in case a patrol plane spots it or someone calls in a fire.

Brooks said most people in Crawford County obtain burning permits and he offered three tips for burning leaves or debris: keep piles small, burn in the early morning or evening when the wind is down and humidity is up, and stay with the fire until it is dead out.

Even with a permit, individuals starting a fire are responsible for any damages should the fire escape. They're also liable for paying expenses for fighting the fire. A forest fire started by a company along Fletcher Road cost them \$91,284 in damages and DNR expenses putting out the fire.

In addition, letting a fire escape is a misdemeanor with fines up to \$90 and up to 90 days in jail. Debris may be burned in barrels but they must be masonry or metal construction with air holes no larger than 3/4 inch including the cover.

Anyone spotting a forest fire should call the DNR field office during the day or the Crawford County Sheriff Dept. at night.

## Local Artist Featured at KCC Foundation 8-Day Art Exhibit

By Jon Thompson

A local artist who has traveled throughout the world for more than 30 years will have her paintings featured at a Kirtland Community College art exhibit April 26 - May 3.

The work of Shirley Catsman, of Higgins Lake, will be on display from 1 to 10 p.m. Monday to Thursday, 1 to 4:30 p.m. Friday, and 1 to 6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in the KCC Library. Admission is free.

Catsman's paintings reflect her worldwide traveling. Much of her work in the exhibit depicts life in Brazil and China, where she feels the friendliest people in the world live.

"I was a born traveler," says Catsman. "The most important things in my life are my family, travel, and painting."

Catsman, a graduate of the Academy of the Sacred Heart in Grosse Pointe, spent four years at the Academy of Arts

and Crafts in Detroit studying design and oil painting under Sarkis Sarkison and John Carroll.

She then married Raymond Catsman, of Flint, and managed to study ceramics under Svea Kline, of the Cranbrook Academy of Art, while she and her husband raised six children.

In 1970, with her children grown, she turned to painting again and by 1971 her work was featured in the Flint Art Show and other Flint galleries.

Her paintings have since been featured in art galleries as far away as Manaus, Brazil, and she has conducted art programs on television in South America and Singapore.

Most of Catsman's paintings are oil and gouache showing beautiful natural scenes of the countries she has visited or the people she has encountered there.





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Whitley Madsen



## From Our Corner...

It must be spring...our summer visitors are beginning to show up following their hibernation in the warmer climates in the south and out west...some have been around for a couple of weeks and then there are some that are just making their appearance...we were at the Hotel Friday night and ran into a few that we hadn't seen so far this spring, it could have been the opening of the Country Club get together that brought them out...we ran into Grayling's elder statesman William "Bill" Joseph and wife Marion, the Mel Nielsons, the Dr. Schwarz', Ken and Mabel Gothro, Cal and Sue Brenner to name a few, and they all looked like they had spent the winter on the beach or the golf course...anyway it is nice to have all of you folks returning, it sort of reassures us that summer must be on its way...

Speaking of spring, summer and golf we were sort of shocked Sunday morning when our bride turned down a golf game with neighbor Gloria Neilson and Jeannie Thompson, to for all things working out in the yard when she has young Mike McNamara coming back to finish what he started Saturday...but then, it has been over forty years now and we haven't figured her out yet, so why should I be able to now...

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We ran into Ralph Stevens last week who is the owner of Carlisle Paddles Inc., and he was telling me that on some of the Girl Scouts cookie boxes there is a picture of some girls and a guide paddling on the Colorado river on a raft and Ralph told me that all the paddles being used were manufactured at his plant here in Grayling...that's pretty good advertising for our little hamlet up here in the north country...Ralph is on the go a lot attending sport shows all over and while he is there he is passing out all kinds of literature pertaining to the Crawford County area...Ralph made the remark that he doesn't take a vacation because he is on the go so much and it is fun so he doesn't need to take time off to get away from it all...one of Ralph's pet sayings in the winter time when it is near zero out is "one thing for sure today we don't have to worry about any mosquito bites", I think Ralph is the only one who can truthfully say he is happy during the winter time...I surely can't...

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An idle thought: After reading the Sunday sports section and learning that the Tigers won the game in the ninth inning Saturday against the Kansas City Royals, all we can say they have been living dangerously, winning these one run games in the late innings...this kind of luck can't last forever if they expect to repeat...their bats need to start booming out some runs to support the good pitching they are getting right now...their luck ran out on them Sunday and Monday, and it is quite apparent the other teams are not rolling over and playing dead in fear of the mighty Tigers...in fact, it looks like they are trying that much harder against them...

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Things have been quite slow around town but a look at the calendar brings to thought two things, the first not too exciting except you will lose an hour of sleep next Sunday morning when you jump your clock ahead one hour at 2:00 a.m. Sunday morning...about the only way you can win is take a nap Saturday afternoon and be prepared for the lost hour...

The main thing for this weekend is the opening of trout season Saturday, April 27th...hopefully that will open the door for the tourist season to start also...it does mean that folks who have places up here will start opening them up for the summer season and then one can forget the doldrums of the winter...we imagine there will be quite a few of Grayling's young Isaac Waltons who will be at the bridge and along the river here in town at the crack of midnight Friday night...it would be nice if this weekend is like this past one, it was gorgeous out...

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This about takes care of this weeks efforts so we will bid T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight, and to all of our readers do have a nice weekend, and for the anglers we wish you luck and hope for a nice opener.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago  
April 26, 1962

Mrs. Ernest Borchers and son Don returned home Tuesday of last week after spending several days at Rochester with her daughter and family, the John Sojka, and in Lansing visiting Dr. and Mrs. R.L. Barrus.

Peggy Fenton came home last week on Tuesday from Humboldt Institute, Minneapolis, Minnesota, to spend Easter with her mother, Mrs. Glen Fenton. Easter, Mrs. Fenton and Peggy spent in Manistee with the Ed Holtcamps, Saturday they were in Traverse City, and Wednesday they and Don Franklin were in Bay City for the day.

On Tuesday evening, April 17th, Mrs. James Parkinson was honored at a baby shower given by Mrs. Gary Parkinson of Lake Margrethe. Fourteen guests enjoyed an evening of games and refreshments. Mrs. Parkinson received many lovely gifts for the new baby.

Carla Jean Moshier celebrated her 12th birthday Monday, April 23rd, inviting several girl friends to her home for supper, followed by attending the theatre to see "Babes in Toyland". Flocks of wild geese were seen last Monday and Tuesday on their way north.

Curt Morency, son of the Leo Morency's, boarded the train for Saginaw Good Friday. He will spend the vacation with his cousin Greg Bruening, son of the W.G. Bruenings. Curt celebrated his 11th birthday on April 5th with a family dinner at home. The next Saturday he celebrated more by inviting several classmates over for a baseball game in the afternoon and cupcakes, ice cream, pop and popcorn afterwards.

Cathy Stripe came home Friday to spend Easter week with her parents, the Joseph Stripes. Mr. and Mrs. F.J. McClain, Jr., and daughters Colleen and Maureen are spending the week at the home of the John Bradys.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kolk have a baby son, Scott Walker, born April 17. He weighed 7 lbs. 13 1/2 ozs. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Korhonen of West Branch are grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gierke of Grayling are great grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Caid and family of Houghton Lake spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Caid.

46 Years Ago  
April 27, 1939

Reports from the northern streams indicate that excellent fishing conditions will greet the more than 100,000 fishermen who will take to the water Saturday morning, April 29, when the lid comes off on the 1939 trout season.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Madsen of Midland visited Mrs. Marie Hanson Saturday en route to Johannesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Blan of Traverse City, spent the weekend visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Fred Bishaw and family.

Mrs. N.P. Olson and son Ernest left for Detroit Wednesday

## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### GAY BILL OF RIGHTS

H.R. 2624, known as the "Gay Bill of Rights" is currently being pushed by militant homosexuals and lesbians for passage in the United States Congress. Anger at the failure to pass such a law in California, caused some leaders in the homosexual community to declare "An Act of War" to force Americans to accept their unnatural lifestyle as a right. Some twenty deadly pipe bombs have been found in shopping malls, public parks and restaurants with notes attached signed "the North Central Gay Strike Force Against Public and Police Oppression."

In San Francisco, homosexuals have pushed through a law giving taxpayer-paid health insurance to the homosexual live-in lovers of city employees! They want the same kind of treatment nationally. They want every advantage given to an American family through marriage. They want legislation passed which will force restaurant owners, hospital administrators, dentists, doctors, churches, schools, Day-care centers, nursing homes and all other employers to hire them even if they are avowed homosexual extroverts.

Already the courts have said a public school teacher could not be fired for teaching the homosexual lifestyle in a favorable light to students. With the passage of H.R. 2624, a militant homosexual or lesbian teacher could even seduce children since "homosexual tendencies" would be lawful or legal. The "North American Man/Boy Love Association" is already busy lobbying for the repeal of all laws prohibiting sex with children. In New York, Liberal Mayor Ed Koch is already trying to force gay counselors into day-care centers run by the Salvation Army.

Our Judeo-Christian ethic of morality is being attacked by liberal Humanism as never before. This may be

the straw which breaks the camel's back. If this vilest and most depraved of all sexuals becomes legal and defended by the United States government, the conflict between Christianity and Humanism may soon go beyond words into open bloodshed. May I plead with you to pray, write your U.S. Congressmen and Senators and President Reagan.

After the abortion murder of 15 million babies, how could God let America endorse and defend homosexuality without divine judgment? We are not just talking about the spread of Herpes and AIDS, we are talking about the spread of moral corruption which can bring about the total internal destruction of our society.

Pastor Barnett

### Frederic Hobby Club

The ladies of the Frederic Hobby Club held their annual officer's dinner on Tuesday, March 26 at the Pizza Hut in Grayling. There were fourteen members, and one guest. Everyone had a real nice time.

Congratulations go to Jenny Jungman of Frederic, she was the winner of our Afghan.

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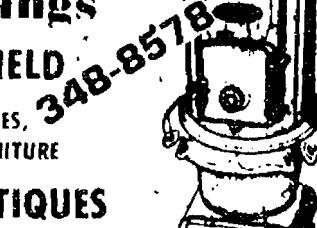
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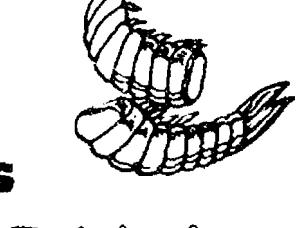
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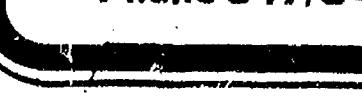
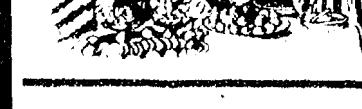
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**Lovell's News**

By Ruth Cald

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spencer returned home Monday after visiting relatives in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koernke returned home Sunday after spending the winter in Florida.

Our community was saddened by the death of Rev. Harold Hazzard who passed away at Munson Hospital on Thursday. Rev. Hazzard was the first pastor at the Chapel, and also served several times later. He made many friends who extend their deepest sympathy to the family.

Senior Citizen Day will be Friday, Apr. 26th, starting at 11:30 with Blood pressures being taken, dinner at 12:00, now be sure and call 348-9495 by noon Thursday if you plan to attend.



**AWARDS CEREMONY** — Col. Ivan W. Gwilt, the commander of Camp Grayling is pleased to announce that an awards ceremony was recently conducted at Camp Grayling, honoring SP4 James VanSlyke, SGT Douglas Legg, SGT Larry Haight, and SSG Ricky Youngs. The four local members of the Michigan National Guard were awarded the Army Achievement Medal in recognition of their Meritorious Service. (Photo by SP4 Jim Adams, ATS) (Left to Right, Col Gwilt, SP4 VanSlyke, SGT Legg, SGT Haight and SSG Youngs)

**"WalkAmerica" For MOD Sun., Apr. 28**

Grayling's March of Dimes "WalkAmerica" event is set for Sunday, April 28th at Hanson Hills Recreation Park. Registration is scheduled for 12:30 p.m. and the walk begins at 1:00 p.m.

Walkers are to secure as many sponsors as possible. If additional sponsor sheets are needed use a piece of paper and attach to the original sponsor sheet. You must bring your money on Walk Day to be eligible to participate. Please ask your sponsors to write checks payable to the March of Dimes. If you need to drop out of the walk, either stop at a check point and inform a March of Dimes representative or flag down one of the official walk cars and they will bring you back to the start. Please check in at the end of the walk no matter where you stop. Please do not get into a car that is not marked March of Dimes. Be sure to wear suitable shoes and clothing for the weather the day of the walk. No bare feet or sandals.

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**Mrs. Catsman  
Art Exhibit  
at Kirtland**

Mrs. Shirley Catsman, Higgins Lake, will be the featured artist of the Kirtland Community College Foundation's Art Exhibition.

The exhibition will be held April 27 to May 3 in the Kirtland Library.

Mrs. Catsman spent four years at the Academy of Arts and Crafts in Detroit, studying design and oil painting under Sarkis Sarkisian and John Carroll. She has also studied ceramics under Sven Kline, of the Cranbrook Academy of Art.

Her works have been exhibited at the Flint Art Show, several Flint galleries, and at the Teatro Amazonas in Manaus, on the Amazon River. She has also done art related programs on television in South America and Singapore.

The Kirtland Community College Foundation Art Exhibit will be open from 1 to 10 p.m., Monday through Thursday, 1 to 4:30 p.m. on Friday, and from 1 to 6 p.m. on weekends.

**Mercy Hospital  
To Sponsor  
Burn Seminar**

A seminar on care and treatment of burn victims and patients with neurological injuries will be offered by Grayling Mercy Hospital May 3 and 4 at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Grayling, beginning at 8:30 a.m. and running until 4 p.m.

The May 3 program is reserved for nursing professionals, while the May 4 program, which is merely a repeat of the May 3 program, will be for emergency medical technicians.

There will be a \$10 fee for the seminar which will include coffee breaks and lunch. Registration deadline is April 30, 1985.

The seminar is intended to provide health professionals in emergency situations with current methods of managing burn and neuro injuries. Guest speakers will be Debbie Naurer, R.N., St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw; and Margo D. Roedel, R.N., head nurse in the Neuro-Intensive Care Unit and Neuro-Progressive Care, also of St. Mary's.

A certificate of attendance will be given to each individual attending the seminar. Continuing education approval for EMT's has been applied for through the Michigan Department of Public Health.

For more information, or to register, contact Mary Allen, R.N., Emergency Nursing Coordinator, Mercy Hospital, (517) 348-5461, ext. 355.

**Dispositions From  
Circuit Court**

The following appeared before the Honorable William A. Porter: Monday, March 18, 1985:

Patrick Jerome Millard of Grayling, was sentenced on a charge of Delivery of Marijuana. He received 24 months probation and 6 months in jail. He must also pay \$500.00 costs, \$280.00 restitution, repay the county for court appointed attorney fees and perform 400 hours of community service work.

Gerald Vanbramer Medina of Roscommon, was sentenced on a charge of Delivery of Marijuana. He received 36 months probation and 10 months in jail. He must also pay \$400.00 costs, \$235.00 restitution and perform 800 hours of community service work.

The following appeared before the Honorable Alton T. Davis, Wednesday, March 27, 1985:

Stacey Leonard Kent of Grayling, was sentenced on a charge of breaking and entering with intent of larceny. He received 36 months probation, 60 days in jail with 2 days credit and work and school release. He must also pay \$400.00 costs and perform 200 hours of community service work.

Perry G. Johnston of Grayling, was sentenced on a charge of attempted unarmed robbery. He received 48 months probation - the first three months in the county jail with credit for 20 days served. He must also pay \$400.00 costs and repay the county for court appointed attorney fees.

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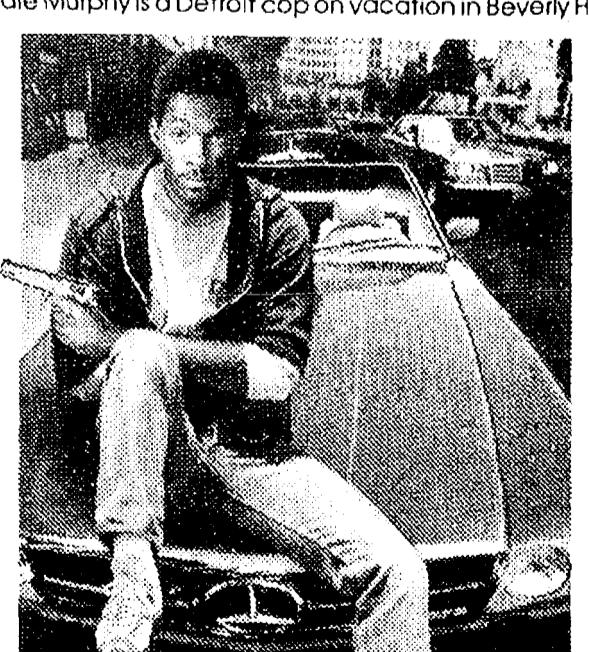
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## Almanack

### Rating Mr. Carter and Unicorns

by Richard Millman

FORMER PRESIDENT Jimmy Carter pops up in the news every now and then, what with writing books and lecturing and what have you.

A few months ago, he and Mrs. Carter made the news by going to inner-city New York and putting some "sweat equity" into a housing project with a church group from Georgia. They spent some time actually pounding nails and sawing wood to help out the project. You had to give the Carters high marks for putting their beliefs into practice.

Just lately, Amy Carter made the news, too. Now, 17, Amy Carter was arrested outside the South African Embassy in Washington, protesting apartheid. Amy joined a long list of other famous, near-famous, and not-famous-at-all protestors, who have selected to protest racial actions in South Africa.

PAPA JIMMY'S reaction was admirable from a paternal standpoint.

"She has felt very strongly about apartheid since she was in the sixth grade," the former President said.

"She is a young woman with her own ideas and I'm very proud of her."

When Mr. Carter was President, the consensus was that his principles were sound and that he tried very hard, but that he was not a very effective President. History most likely will not give his presidency very high marks. I wouldn't disagree.

But as a neighbor and as a father, he rates near the top of the list.

★ ★ ★

I SEE BY the papers that Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Circus is in a hot dispute with animal-lovers.

The circus has been headlining an animal called The Living Unicorn — a smallish, four-legged, mild-looking animal with one large horn growing from the middle of its forehead — just like the unicorn of mythology.

Humane society officials protest, claiming the animal really isn't a unicorn as the circus says, and also claiming the singular horn is the result of surgery, not biology.

## Michigan Mirror

### Prison Officials Pressed To Comply With Overcrowding Order

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Dir., MPA

A request for enforcement of a court order against prison overcrowding will be filed quickly if state officials do not voluntarily take steps to ease the problem, an attorney who originally initiated the court action said recently.

Corrections officials acknowledged overcrowding has become worse than expected since Governor James Blanchard in December declared he would no longer approve early releases of prisoners, but have no plans to use the overcrowding act.

Prison facilities are virtually certain to remain substantially at capacity until the end of summer when at least 1,000 additional beds are added to the system, Gail Light, spokesman for the Department of Corrections said.

She said delays in adding the new beds as well as an "incredible number of commitments" from Wayne County courts are responsible for the increasing problem.

"Things are just getting a lot worse now, but we have been out of compliance (with the court order) for six months. We'll just have to be out of compliance for a while," she said.

East Lansing attorney Zolton Ferency, who won the 1980 Ingham County Circuit Court order setting standards for inmate space, said he would try to meet with officials as soon as possible to see if they will voluntarily reduce the flow of inmates into the system, release some quicker or a combination of the two.

"I hope that we can work out a program to reduce the population to an acceptable number as quickly as possible. It might come down to working out an emergency release program to replace the one the Governor refuses to use," he said.

A motion will be filed in circuit court if an

A FEDERAL VETERINARIAN pulled a surprise visit to the circus in New York and found not one but four "unicorns" which really were goats. The vet guessed their horn buds had been moved from the sides of their heads to the center in a bud graft to produce the single horn.

He also found the animals were well treated.

"Genetically they're goats," the vet said. "But if you want to surrender to whimsy, then they're unicorns."

Talk about a two-edged statement; that vet ought to run for political office.

Anyway, the circus knows a good publicity angle when one falls into its lap.

"Don't Let the Grinches Steal the Fantasy!" roars a circus ad.

"If you believe in the circus, you've got to believe in unicorns," says another.

THE WHOLE THING is really quite a bit of fun if you don't succumb to seriousness. I went to the Ringling circus in January in Florida, and chuckled at all the circus hype centered on The Living Unicorn.

It sure looked like a goat to me, even with the single horn. All the animal did was ride around the circus ring three or four times atop a motorized vehicle of some sort, and look unicornish.

So what? The public has been taken in on a lot more serious things than a living unicorn in the past. And we'll be suckered again in the future.

In the meantime, there's no harm. And maybe even a little fun or whimsy.

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PERCY ROSS is a "rags to riches" millionaire from Minnesota who hands out his philosophies and some of his money through a newspaper column, to which people who want money write in with their plea.

Some letters, and some of Ross's replies, are worth a second look. A recent gem went like this:

"Dear Mr. Ross: What is a good formula for me to get lucky in business? Signed: N.R., Toronto."

"Dear Mr. R.: The harder you work, the luckier you get. Signs: Percy Ross."



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH — Nominated for Grayling Middle School Student of the Month were (back, left) Tracy Reisinger, Deanna Watson, John Kraus, Patty Tremblay, Tammy Fenton, Tammy Duby, Marty Jung. Front, Terry Sorenson, Lana Hagon, Wendy Pearsall, Shannon Gzinski, Susan Nelson, Tim Miller, and Peter Opperman. Also shown is principal Dale Nicholas. Absent from the photo are Brent Day, Fred Shippy, and Michelle Thompson.

## Private Property Week Set for Apr. 28 - May 4

April 28 through May 4 has been recognized by President Reagan as Private Property Week, a time when attention is focused on the need to preserve and protect private property rights and increase awareness of the active role Realtors play in their communities.

"As you know, the term Realtor identifies a person who is a member of the National Association of Realtors and subscribes to a strict Code of Ethics," said Norma Naour, President of the Water Wonderland Board of Realtors, which serves Crawford, Otsego, Montmorency, Cheboygan and Oscoda Counties. "The term is a registered service mark and serves the singular purpose of identifying and distinguishing members of the Association from all other licensed real estate agents."

As Realtors observe Private Property Week, it is important to note that the role of the Realtor in today's housing industry is more important than ever, Naour said. Through their personal affiliation with the National Association, Realtors recognize the vital necessity of professional competency and continuing education to meet the challenges of real estate in an increasingly sophisticated and complex society.

"This role, admittedly very demanding, is borne by the more than 670,000 members of the National Association in all 50 states as well as Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and the District of Columbia," Naour added.

In terms of housing expertise, the Realtor plays a key role in the marketing, sale and often even the financing of both residential and commercial properties. For the seller, such variables as market trends, seasonability of sales, location, condition of the property, as well as a market analysis of the most recent sale prices of similar properties in the area can help determine a property value. The Realtor may suggest certain repairs or improvements, may utilize sophisticated advertising in local publications and arrange for showing of the home. Prospects are pre-qualified so that the seller is not inconvenienced by a parade of "lookers."

For the time being, we are doing everything we possibly can to build new prisons and keep dangerous felons off the street. Our position is we are not in violation (of the court order). We are exploring and pursuing every alternative to deal with it administratively.

The Governor in his State of the State message called for amendments to the Prison Overcrowding Emergency Powers Act, but does not yet have a specific proposal.

Two Locals Earn LSSC Term Honors

Beth Jones and Thomas Trudgeon, both from Grayling, were named to the Lake Superior State College Dean's list for the winter term. Students must earn a 3.5 grade point average or better.

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**NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF GRAYLING TOWNSHIP**

The Grayling Township Planning Commission has drafted a sign ordinance which will be submitted to the Grayling Township Board for adoption in the near future. The first public hearing on this ordinance will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 30, 1985, at the Grayling Township office, West M-72 Plaza. The proposed ordinance would regulate size, placement and maintenance of signs in Grayling Township.

A copy of the complete ordinance can be obtained at the township office during regular business hours. Correspondence concerning the ordinance should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738. Tel. 517/348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton, Clerk

4-25



**STATE CHAMPIONS** — Chris Kucharek, Nichole Siwula, and Kristin Ockerman bowled the top scores in the state during a recent Holiday Doubles and Family Twosome "mail-o-graphic" tournaments. Each local bowling center held a tournament and mailed scores into the state YABA. Nichole and Chris teamed to win in the Holiday Doubles Bantam division (8 years and younger). Kristin teamed with her father Toc Ockerman to win in the Family Twosome Bantam division. This is the first year for all three youngsters in the youth bowling program.

**Special T.U. Program Looks At Slotting, New Fish Study**

The results of an extensive fish population study on the main branch of the AuSable will be revealed Thursday, April 25, 7:30 p.m. at a special Trout Unlimited program at Chief Shoppenagons Hotel.

Jan Fenske, Department of Natural Resources Fisheries Biologist, will discuss details of the study and talk about the "slotted size limit that was imposed to increase

the number of large trout in the river.

Fenske, a graduate of Michigan State, with her Masters Degree from U of M., has been with the D.N.R. for eight years, with the last two years stationed in Mi, working with Gary Schnicke and others. Fenske started her career with the DNR Institute for Fisheries Research, in Ann Arbor. Her early work was with Rick Clark, DNR Fisheries Research Biologist who conceived of the "slotting" concept and directed the study. "Slotting", a controversial idea, called for killing of 8" to 12" trout, "no-kill" in the 12" to 16" range and keeping of fish over 16".

"Slotting" as it is known, was a compromise between "no-kill", as instituted on the South Branch of the AuSable, and the keeping of some fish caught. The lengthy study is over and the final report is complete. The public is invited, at no charge, to share a cup of coffee and to hear Fenske discuss results and peek into the future. Time will be allotted for questions.

**S.S. Board Members Meet at Holiday Inn**

Social Services board members from 42 counties in Michigan met at the Grayling Holiday Inn last week to discuss issues related to persons needing public assistance.

All of the board members are citizen volunteers who belong to the Michigan Counties Social Services Association (MCSSA).

James Callahan, executive director of the Michigan Association of Counties, met with the board members to discuss methods of working with the legislature. He outlined a step by step procedure to push for laws related to public assistance.

Board members also heard from Longino Gonzales, deputy director of the Saginaw County Dept. of Social Services. He discussed contracts for special needs of clients such as psychological testing and on-the-job training.

Speaker at the Annual Board Members Banquet was Don Geiss, who targeted his remarks to the improvement of communication. Moderator at the banquet was Donna Gwilt, Crawford County Board member and president of the Northeast District of the MCSSA. Also in attendance at the Conference was Crawford County Social Services Board vice chairman Carroll Wert.

The conference agenda included a day long work session conducted by Innovative Consultants Inc. The two representatives from that firm, Sharma Krauskopf and Jim Bruce, worked with the delegates on improving management techniques.

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**Doodles From The Tall Timber**

By Wendell L. Hoover  
Park Interpreter

A rabbit or should I say a snowshoe hare went tearing through the yard here at the headquarters one day last week. What had set him or her in motion I can't say, but something had spooked it. What was noticeable, other than the speed, was the color. The hare was no longer sporting the winter coat, but in a reddish brown coat with white underparts.

This native of our State has many an alias besides snowshoe: snowshoe rabbit, varying hare, white hare, snow rabbit, bush rabbit, and Northern jack rabbit. Along with all these aliases the animal also operates under two disguises - a brown summer coat and a white winter coat.

I had believed that the fur of the snowshoe changes color with the season, but there is some thought now that the color change, which is actually a moult, is triggered by the amount of sunlight and not by when the snow comes or melts.

The hind feet of this animal are very large, with broad palms, widespread toes and thick hair which lets them run freely over the surface of the snow which accounts for the snowshoe part of the name.

In addition to his seasonal color changes and his snowshoe equipment this hare is also noted for his population cycles.

In Canada the Hudson's Bay Company has kept records for more than a hundred years which have noted the variations in varying hare populations. What is interesting about this is that the number of fur-bearing predators depends directly on the number of snowshoe hares.

Also of interest is that the Indian population is or was almost equally dependent in turn on the hare and fur-bearer cycles.

**Moose News**

The Mid Year Convention held in Taylor was a great success. All of us who attended had a great time and we thank Taylor for their warm hospitality. We were treated very nicely and were made to feel right at home. Jack Pearce and Emmy Lou Denewitt won \$1,000. in a drawing. Jack Pearce donated \$100 back to Taylor Lodge for their building fund. Congratulations to them.

On Friday, April 26th we will be having the residents of the Timberview Nursing Home as our guest. Each member is sponsoring a resident and will be having dinner with them. We will be having similar dinners at least once a month and will take turns with each senior home in the area. Any member wishing to treat a Senior Citizen to dinner contact Dan Riness at the Lodge.

Our next District Meeting will be May 5th at our lodge. We hope to see you all there. Your attendance at these meetings is needed. It benefits our lodge as well as yourself. So let's all be there.

The next regular meeting will be on Wednesday, May 8th at 8:00 p.m.



**50th ANNIVERSARY** — Mr. & Mrs. Lavack, of Waters, celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary April 6th at their home on Lake Marjorie. Dorothy and Truman were married April 1st, 1935, in Grayling. After retiring from Dow Chemical in Midland in 1968 the Lavacks moved back to Lake Marjorie where they are visited often by their 4 children: Alvin and Ronnie Lavack of Sanford, Natalie Weaver, of Frederic, and Janice Lavack of Waters. Their 8 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren helped them celebrate their Golden Anniversary. (Photo by Linda Adams)

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**Leadership Day For Students at Houghton Lk.**

The Student Senate and National Honor Societies of Farwell, Grayling, and Houghton Lake High Schools are jointly sponsoring a National Student Leadership Day Program on Wednesday, April 24, 1985 at Houghton Lake High School from 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Youth Leadership is the theme of the day and the speaker for the morning session will be Mr. Morley Fraser. An agenda of the day's activities is enclosed.

The National Honor Society and Student Council were both originated by the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP). 1985 marks the 54th anniversary of the National Student Council Association. In honor of America's young leaders, the National Association of Student Councils and the National Honor Society have designated April 21-27 as National Student Leadership Week.

Fourteen high schools from a twelve county area have been asked to send representative student members of their Student Councils and National Honor Societies, along with their advisors, to participate in the day's program.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Jack Kramer at Houghton Lake High School, (517) 366-5376.

**Compendium of BACH Compositions**

BACH Concert coming to Grayling - "BACH, Alive in '85" is the theme for a delightful musical tribute to the immortal Johann Sebastian BACH, in celebration of the 300th anniversary of his birthday.

The Program, to be presented in matinee and evening performances at 3:00 and 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 6, 1985, will be staged at the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church, 400 Michigan Ave., Grayling. All tickets are \$2.00 each.

Performing artists from throughout northern Michigan will share diverse talents in brass, string, keyboard piano & organ, Liturgical dance, along with vocal renditions of BACH compositions.

For additional information you may contact Janet Dice, 126 Fulton, Grayling, 49738 (Ph: 517-348-8808).

**GRAYLING TOWNSHIP****NOTICE:****RE: SATELLITE DISHES**

"Satellite dishes" in Grayling Township constitute a "structure" by definition in Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance 83-4 and, as such, are subject to the same setback and height requirements as accessory structures. Therefore, it is necessary to obtain a "Zoning Permit" from the township building and zoning office prior to actual construction.

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**1985 VIKINGS** — Representing Grayling on the baseball field this season will be (front, left) John Meagher, Jon Nicholas, George Duncan, Flaskie Robins, Jeff Branch, Joe Erb, David Somerville, Duane Matthews, Jeff Palmer,

manager Chris Wolcott and Scott Lehto, (back) Brad Naghtin, Jeff McClellan, Kevin Hudson, Jim Knight, Rod Patterson, Ken Erb, Dean McKinney, John Kinney, and coach Fred Wolcott.

## Vikings Open Baseball Season at Grayling

On any level of baseball good pitching usually wins games and Grayling High School baseball coach Fred Wolcott is looking for some consistent pitching to lead the Vikings this year.

Wolcott looks for seniors Dean McKinney and Jeff Branch along with Kevin Hudson to shoulder the starting duties for Grayling. Sophomore John Meagher and freshman Jeff Palmer are expected to help in relief roles.

Grayling returns six lettermen from last year's 12-12 squad. Branch, who will play shortstop as well as pitch, was the club's leading run producer last year with 31 RBI's. Branch knocked out 9

home runs while batting .360.

McKinney, who plays outfield as well as pitching, batted .341 last year with a home run. Second baseman Jon Nicholas, a senior, is expected to lead the team in stolen bases this year. He had 12 last year and led the team with 9 walks. The other returning senior is Ken Erb, who was voted Most Improved Player last year. He will play the outfield.

George Duncan, a junior, returns for his third year of varsity baseball. Wolcott says Duncan has improved with the bat this year and he will be the starting catcher.

Sophomore John Meagher is the other returning letterman. Meagher, who hit .417

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## "Camelot" Labelled Broadway's Most Expensive Show

The wondrous delights and romantic adventures of King Arthur and his knights is the subject of the Grayling High School Players next production, "Camelot", the lavish musical hit by Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe. This musical comedy by the creators of "My Fair Lady" will open at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium on May 9 for three performances. "Camelot" is known as the most expensive and opulent production to ever have been presented on a Broadway stage.

Allen Morford will be seen as the medieval king who gathered the most stalwart knights of ancient England about his famous Round Table. King Arthur is also very much occupied with his sprightly and beautiful Queen Guenevere, to be portrayed by Amy Smith. King Arthur's Round Table harbors a very famous triangle, at the third corner of which stands that most noble of knights and dashing of men, Sir Lancelot, played by Jeff McLaughlin, whose song, "If Ever I Would Leave You" thrilled many a heart during its long tenure high on the hit parade lists.

Others who will be donning shining armor for the Grayling High School production of "Camelot" include Jeff Martinez as pell-mine, a fumbling dragon hunter, Todd Moore as Morfred, the evil knight who sows the seeds of Arthur's downfall, Kevin Reynolds as Merlin the magician and Arthur's teacher and Debbie Schanz as Morgan Le Fey, the wicked, beautiful witch with a weakness for sweets.

All seats for the Grayling production of "Camelot" are reserved and tickets are presently on sale. Tickets can be purchased at the Board of Education Offices on Michigan Avenue in Grayling. Ticket orders will be accepted by phone by calling 348-7641.

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## Grayling Promotional Association

News from Grayling Promotional Association! We'd like to remind all of you members of the weekly meetings held at Chief Shoppenagons every Tuesday at Noon.

April 30th will be our guest speaker of the month, Joe Wakeley. He will be talking on the selection of a new Chamber Director.

This meeting, as all of our speaker meetings is open to everyone! We have a guest speaker the last meeting of each month and we'd love to see all of our members and a guest attend.

G.P.A.'s summer project again this year is Children's Day during the Milltown Festival. We want to make it another successful and fun day for the kids - Please join in on the planning - We need your ideas and help!

A new project for G.P.A. for Milltown is the Kick-off Dinner. Let's make it the best! We can with all our members working together. See you Tuesdays!!!

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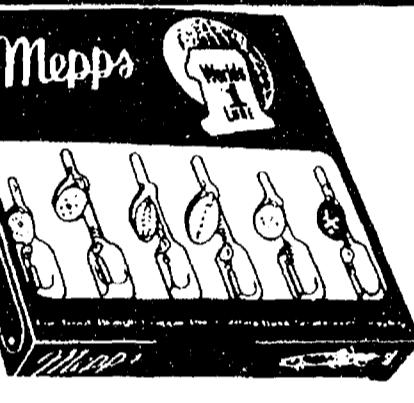
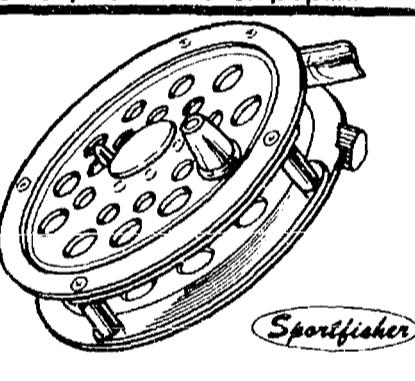
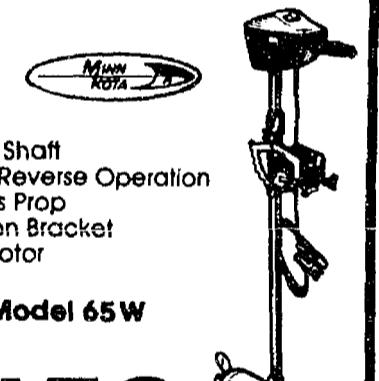
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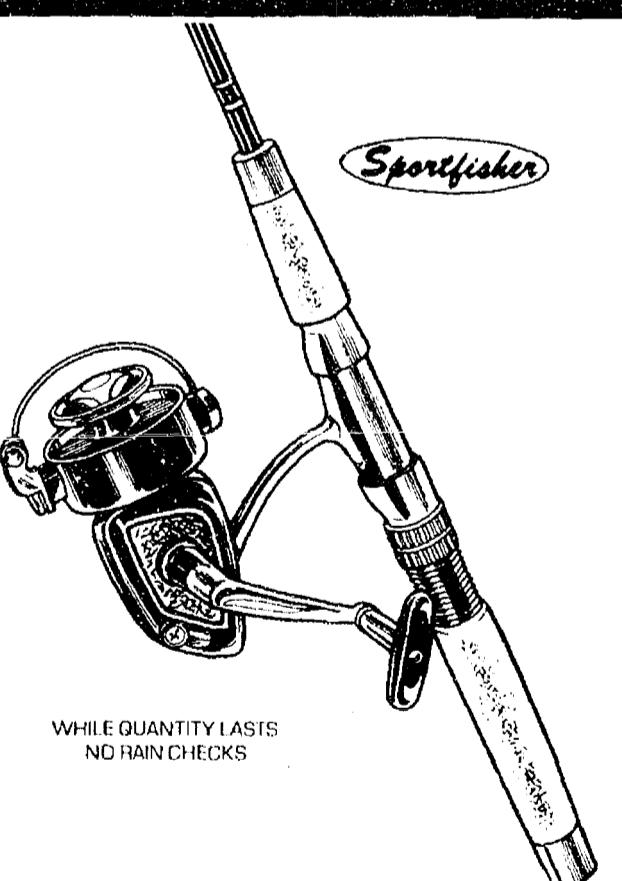
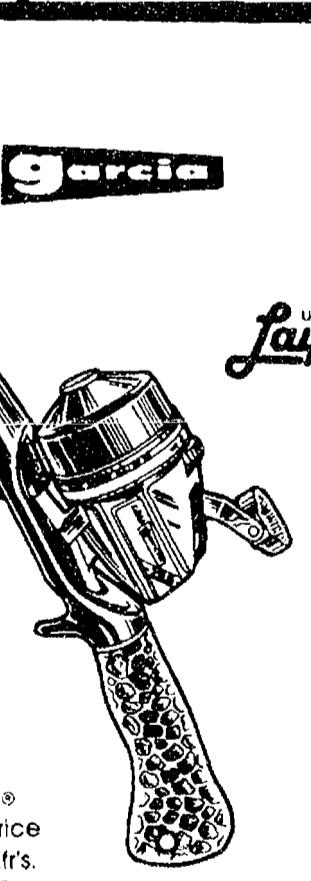
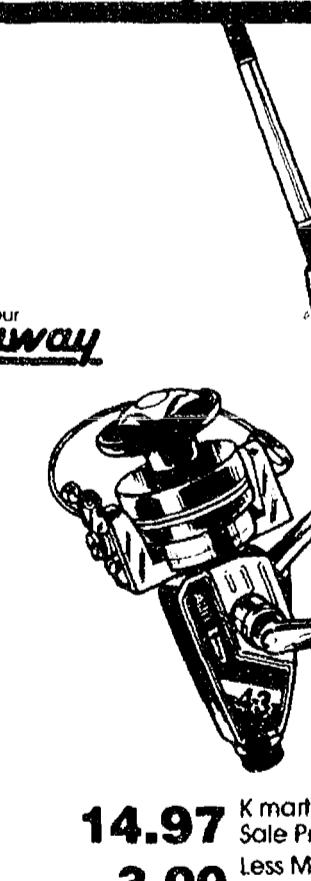
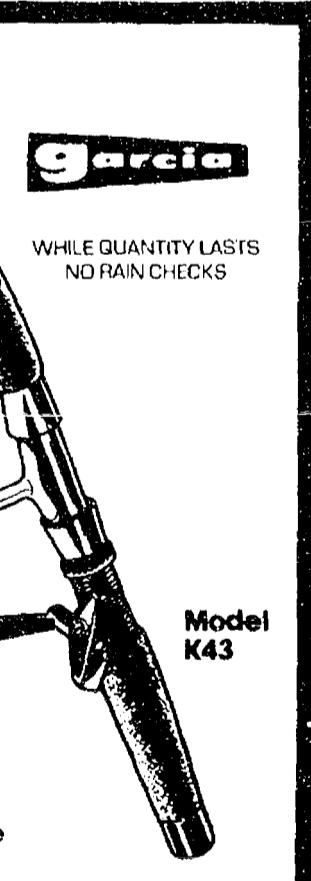
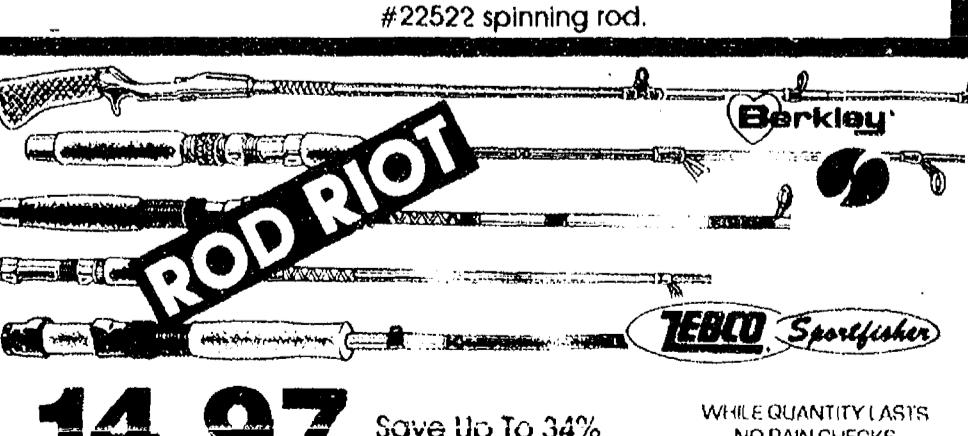
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Shane, 7 yrs., Nathan 2½ yrs., Lori 6 months, children of Doug & Mary Hinkle.



Larry & Shante Reynolds  
Larry 16 months, Shante 4 months, children of Larry & Rosie Reynolds.



Michelle Gildner  
Michelle, 1 year old daughter of Michael & Janet Gildner.



Joshua & Erin Cox  
Joshua, 8 yrs., Erin, 2 yrs., children of Dale & Christine Cox.



Sara Lynn Starks & Jennifer Borders  
Sara Lynn 3 months, Jennifer 1½ yrs., children of Bob & Michele Starks.



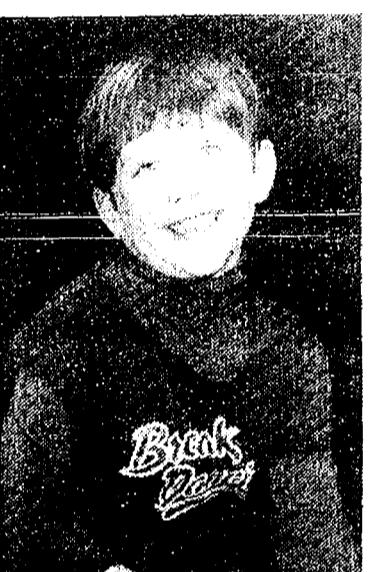
Gary & Amanda Coffman  
Gary, 5 yrs., Amanda, 8 months, children of Gary & Connie Coffman.



Kristie & Carrie Cadeau  
Kristie, 5 years, Carrie, 2 years, children of Charles & Sharon Cadeau.



Brannen & Joshua Romick  
Brannen, 5 years, Joshua 3 years, children of David & Laurie Romick.



Michael Harland  
Michael 4½ year old son of Marie & Rick Harland.



Katie Southard  
Katie, 3 year old daughter of Steve & Cecilia Southard.



Michael Thackeray  
Michael, 16 month old son of Jim & Lisa Thackeray.



Clint Hapqual  
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### La Leche League Meeting Notice

"The Advantages of Breastfeeding to Mother and Baby" will be the topic for discussion at the May meeting of the Grayling-Roscommon La Leche League. This is the first in a series of four discussion meetings. The meeting will be held on Thursday, May 2 at 7:30 p.m. at 704 Ionia Street, Grayling.

The La Leche League believes breastfeeding gives the best possible start in good mothering and helps to develop and deepen the close relationship between a mother and her child.

A series of meetings are held in members' homes, to acquaint those interested with the physical, practical, and psychological sides of breastfeeding.

Any woman interested in breastfeeding is welcome to attend. Expectant mothers are encouraged to attend the series before the baby arrives. Babies are always welcome. For further information, or for breastfeeding help, call Carolyn Crist at 275-8431.

**Editor's Quote Book**

No one really understands the grief or joy of another.  
Franz Schubert

## March of Dimes Marks 30th Anniversary of Salk Vaccine

Safe...effective...potent. Just 30 years ago on April 12, those three sober, moderate words set off a bell-ringing, whistle-blowing jamboree of national joy followed by an enormous sign of relief.

The first successful vaccine against paralytic poliomyelitis, developed by Dr. Jonas Salk, had been proven by massive field trials to be "safe, effective, and potent." It still stands today as one of the most significant medical achievements of our time.

Dr. Salk was hailed as a public hero for having laid low the monster of polio (also known as infantile paralysis). Thanks to the Salk breakthrough, funded solely by the March of Dimes, polio is no longer a national health problem.

The U.S. battle against polio began in the late 1930s when Eddie Cantor, the Broadway comic and vaudeville headliner, coined the phrase "March of Dimes." He urged listeners to his coast-to-coast radio program to send contributions to President Franklin D. Roosevelt to fight polio.

Roosevelt, himself a polio victim, personally approved of the idea and the appeals for dimes were heard on many of the nation's favorite radio programs. In 1938, the President escalated the battle against polio by founding The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, in part with donations received as a result of Cantor's appeal. The Foundation's mission was "to lead, direct, and unify the fight against infantile paralysis."

From the outset, the March of Dimes worked closely with doctors and research scientists to gather all that was known about polio. Scientists supported by March of Dimes grants searched for a way to eliminate the dread disease. In the early 1950s, Dr. Salk began work on the development of an anti-polio vaccine.

By 1953, Dr. Salk had his vaccine. He tested it on a limited scale, with satisfactory results. So certain was Dr. Salk of the vaccine's safety that his own three children were among those vaccinated.

The 1954 field trial of the Salk vaccine was, with the exception of wartime, the largest mobilization of the nation's resources in the history of the U.S. Almost two million school children participated.

Local residents included on the Denison fall Dean's List:

Linda Ann Partin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil L. Partin of Grayling.

Partin, a 1982 graduate of Kingswood School, is a junior this spring at Denison.

Noting that approximately one-eighth of the student body qualified for this academic honor during the fall semester, Dean William W. Nichols congratulated each scholar, saying, "A college like Denison is dependent for its vitality on the kind of academic work represented by the accomplishment. We are not only proud of Dean's List students, but we are grateful for them, too."

Denison University, located in Granville, Ohio, was founded in 1831, and is a privately supported, co-educational college of liberal arts and sciences, offering four different bachelor's degrees (B.A., B.S., B.F.A., B.Mus.) among 34 majors. About 2,100 full-time students represent more than 40 states and several foreign countries. Denison, fully accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, is a member of the Great Lakes Colleges Association (GLCA). Andrew G. De Rocca is Denison's 17th president.

participated in the mass program organized and conducted by the March of Dimes in 44 states.

Evaluation of the results of the field trials was conducted by scientific experts. For nine months following the inoculations, a research team rigorously reviewed the control studies and reports. The final evaluation report was drawn up and its findings were disclosed to the waiting world on April 12, 1955.

The disappearance of polio as a significant public health problem was undeniably due to the widespread administration of the Salk vaccine, which was used exclusively through 1961. Later the Sabin oral vaccine was introduced and is now used almost exclusively in the U.S. The March of Dimes was the sole source of support of the research leading to both polio vaccines.

With the conquest of polio assured, the foundation

moved into expanded health areas, assuming leadership in the fight to prevent birth defects. It is now known as the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation.

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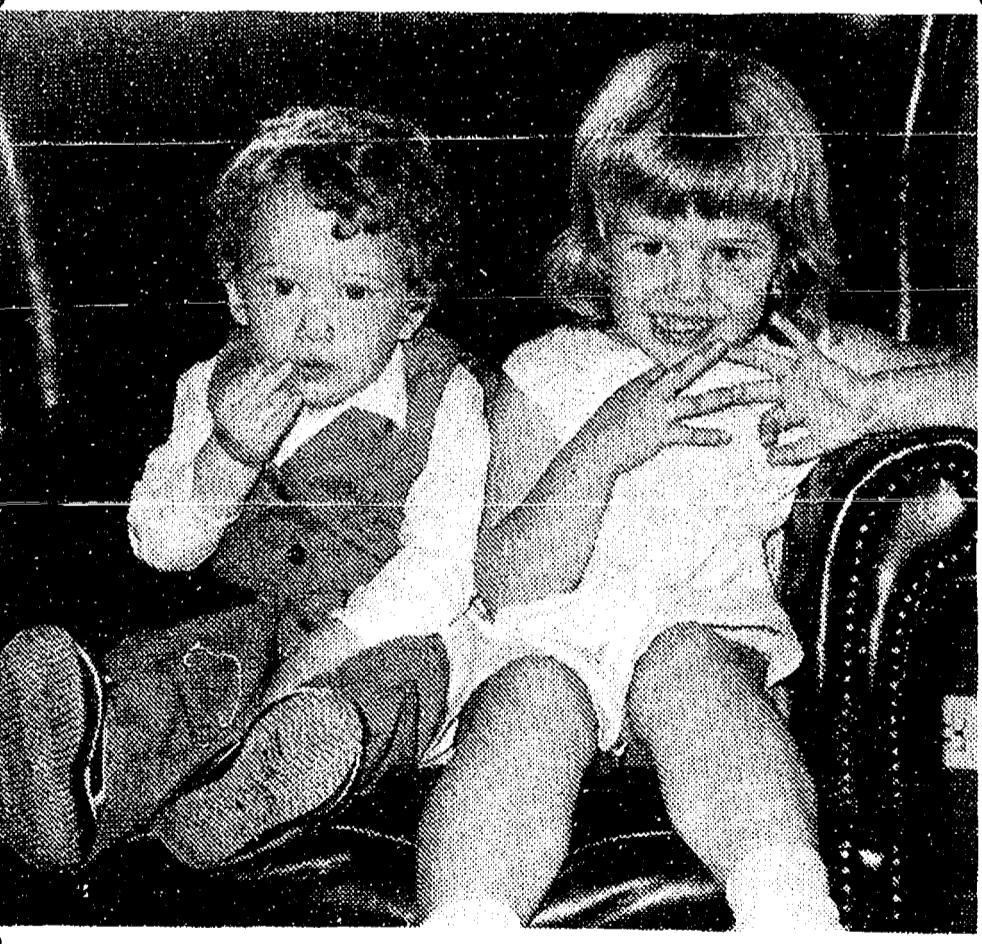
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Sherry Shuster is a fun person to be with in a troop.

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## Resource Review

By Bruce Patrick Conservation Officer

Late April and May are considered the time of year when wildfire danger is the highest. Warm weather which dries out leaves, grass and slash in woodlands, accompanied by normal wind days turn much of the state into a tinderbox.

In Crawford County, with miles and miles of highly flammable jack pine, the situation is even more acute. A discarded cigarette, an improperly controlled debris fire, even sparks from an ORV tailpipe can turn into a hellish inferno. One of the worst fires in recent years was started by a spark from a welding torch.

Most wildfires (nearly 70% statewide) are caused by debris burning. People like to clean up their yards in the spring and use fire to dispose of whatever brush or leaves they accumulate. One lax moment or an unexpected breeze can cause thousands of dollars in damage.

The Forest Fire Law (Act 329, P.A. 1969) requires that "at any time the ground is not snow covered, a person shall not burn any flammable material on or adjacent to forest land ... without a permit ...". An exception to this is burning for domestic purposes. A proper burner constructed of metal or masonry with a metal covering device with openings no larger than 3/4 of an inch is required for this. A campfire is also lawful.

Any person who violates a provision of the Forest Fire Law and starts a fire is liable for all resulting damages including suppression costs.

### District Court

The following persons appeared in 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Harry Argue, 20, of Grayling, demanded preliminary examination to a charge of breaking and entering an unoccupied building. Bond was set at \$1,000 cash or surety.

Robert Stillwell, 18, of Grayling, plead no contest to a charge of larceny less than \$100 and was fined \$105 or 10 days. He was cited March 14 following a citizen complaint.

Wilfred Moshier, 39, of Grayling, was found not guilty of a charge of simple assault by a jury trial.

James Verlinde, 33, of Frederic, plead guilty to a charge of O.U.I.L. and was fined \$355 or 30 days plus his license is suspended for six months. He was cited by state police on August 23.

Darlene Hecht, 21, of Houghton Lake, plead no contest to a charge of disorderly person by intoxication - likely to endanger self and others. She was cited by the sheriff dept. on March 14.

Michael Breitfeld, 18, of Grayling, demanded preliminary examination to a charge of breaking and entering an unoccupied building. Bond was set at \$1,000 cash or surety.

Richard Press, 20, of Grayling, was bound over to circuit court on a charge of breaking and entering an occupied building. A \$1,000 cash or surety bond was set.

Terry Kurk, 20, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of receiving and concealing stolen property of less than \$100 and was fined \$105 or 10 days. He was cited for the offense following a citizen complaint March 14.

Larry Wakeley, 51, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of disorderly person and was fined \$105 or 10 days. By motion of the prosecuting attorney, an original charge of resisting and obstructing an officer was dismissed upon the above plea. He was cited for the offense Dec. 25 by the sheriff dept.

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Roger at the Mobile, the State Police, and Cedar Motel for all their assistance when I had an accident on March 30th on I-75.

The response time was not short of amazing. The concern for our well being was appreciated. Our "Southern Hospitality" cannot compare. God Bless All of You.

Maria McFee  
Moreland, Georgia

## Pope Sends Blessing And Gift To The March Of Dimes

An Apostolic blessing signed by Pope John Paul II and a check to the March of Dimes were presented by the secretary of the Vatican Bank at a fundraising dinner in Hartford, Conn., on March 31, 1984.

The occasion was the Northern Connecticut Chapter's fifth annual Food Industry Dinner, honoring Adam J. Bozzuto, president and chairman of Bozzuto's, Inc., a major food wholesaler.

Monsignor Donato deBonis, a friend of Mr. Bozzuto, flew from Rome to attend the event. His presence was a surprise arranged by the honoree's son, Michael, who also forwarded March of Dimes materials which were shown to the pontiff.

Msgr. deBonis presented the check for \$2,000 to chapter executive Louise Shaheen before an audience of more than 900 guests.

Food Industry dinners, under the leadership of annual chairman Bertram J. Weinbaum, Northeast Group Vice President, A&P, have

raised \$160,000 over five years. This year's event, the most successful ever, raised \$72,000.

In a letter to His Holiness, March of Dimes president Charles L. Massey said, "I am sure of faithfully interpreting the wishes of all the members of the March of Dimes when I assure you of the joy we feel in receiving two signal honors...to help sustain our activities on behalf of unborn and newborn children."

Because the emissary indicated that the pontiff would like more information about the March of Dimes, Mr. Massey enclosed the 1983 Annual Report and the booklet, "Twenty-Five Years of Birth Defects Prevention."

Sally Hartig, 348-9544, Secretary for Saginaw Bay Chapter M.O.D.

11 Crawford Co. Avalanche Thurs., April 25, 1985

### CARD OF THANKS

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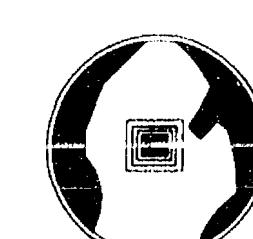
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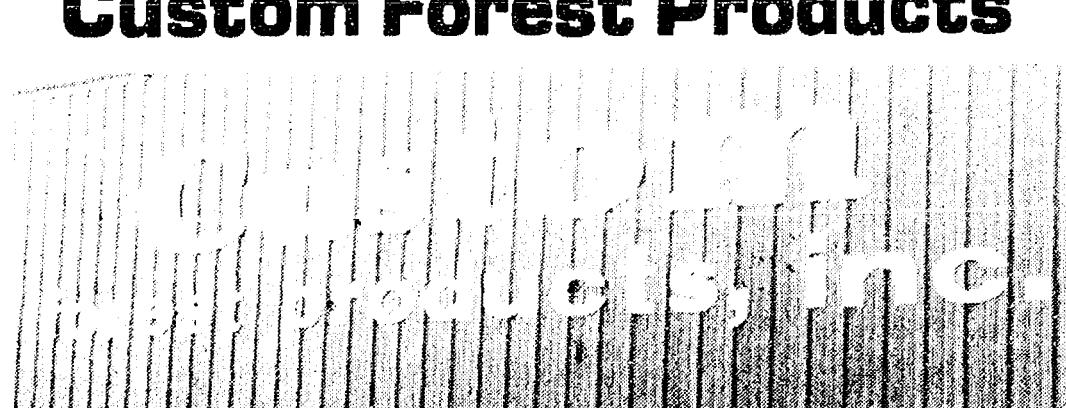


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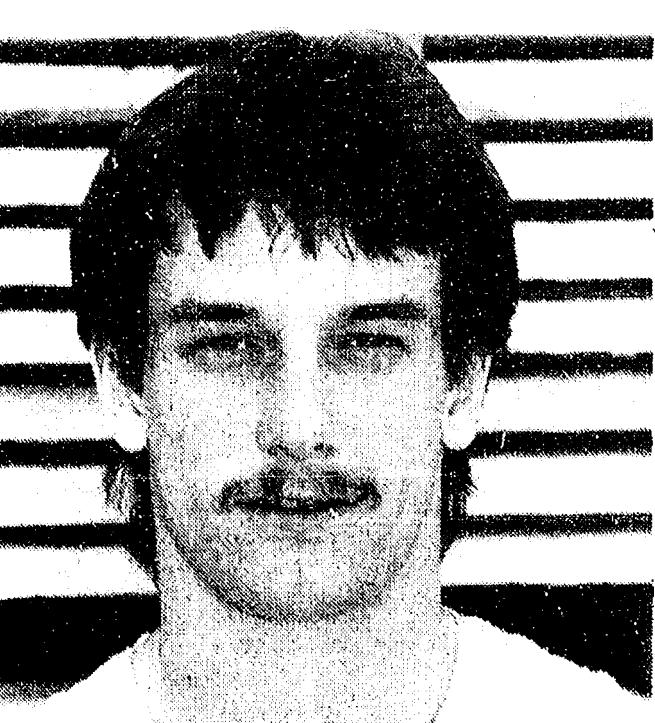
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## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



### ROY CHARLES VanLUCHENE

Chuck is our Employee of the Month for Custom Forest Products. He has been with us since October 1, 1982 and is one of our Cutters.

Chuck has lived in Grayling the last eight years and attended Grayling High School. He has a daughter Shawn who is 16 months old. Chuck enjoys lifting weights and working on cars. To show our appreciation, Chuck has been awarded a \$25.00 gift certificate for dinner at the Woodside Dining Room in the Holiday Inn.

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**OPTICIAN AWARD WINNERS** — Ferris State College ophthalmic dispensing majors (from left) Mike Sadowitz of Dowagiac, Robert Rutledge of Royal Oak and Jamey Radebaugh of Grayling recently were named recipients of the Opticians Association of Michigan's James Stewart Memorial Scholarship Award. The total award of \$1,000 is given annually to FSC second year ophthalmic dispensing students on the basis of grade point average, attitude, class participation, leadership and participation in the student ophthalmic dispensing organization, according to Boyd C. Halstead, Ferris professor in ophthalmic dispensing.

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### U of M Honors Announced

Amy Sue Barron and Patrick Pearlman, both from Roscommon, received class honors during the University of Michigan Honors Convocation. Barron attends the U of M College of Education and Pearlman attends the U of M College of Landscaping and Architect.

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### Herbal Corner

Are you in the mood for some botanical curios?

Bay leaves are reputedly used as insect deterrence when placed in cupboards in and around the kitchen. Several customers have stated that this works better than most commercial products.

Ever wonder why a beastly cat may turn into a tame pussycat when he is around Catnip? It is said that cats react to Catnip the same way humans react to marijuana — they become gentle.

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It is said that a teaspoon of Thyme (pronounced Time) in one cup of hot water, steeped for a few minutes with a touch of honey, will be a tremendous help to a sore or raw-feeling throat. It is also reputed to be useful for a headache when Thyme tea is made strong.

Herbally yours,  
E. Diana Cerelli, C.H.

Meetings are interesting with Nancy Wells & Rhonda Haske as leaders of the troop.

### Crawford County Board of Commissioners

March 28, 1985 — Regular Meeting

#### SYNOPSIS

The March 28th meeting convened at 9:30 a.m. All commissioners attended except Mattis; and 9 visitors observed at various times.

#### IN FORMAL ACTION, THE BOARD:

- Approved the 3-12-85 minutes as presented.
- Reviewed and accepted 27 pieces of correspondence.
- Recommended that Don Geiss be considered for the Planning Commission should a vacancy occur.
- Accepted with regrets the resignation of Larry D. Hunter as County Equalization Director.
- Supported an Ottawa County resolution requesting legislation requiring the DNR to cooperate with government or private firms attempting to replace or reactivate abandoned hydrodams on Michigan rivers.
- Appointed Alfred Borchers Acting Equalization Director, effective April 15, 1985.
- Moved to draft a resolution requesting the 10 cents per acre presently paid on military land in Crawford, Kalkaska and Oceana Counties be raised on a graduated scale from \$2.00 to \$2.25 over a two year period.
- Denied further use of county property for the purpose of fireworks displays.
- Held a 15 minute executive session to discuss pending litigation.

—Stipulated that Transportation Authority Director Dave Frederick be the only authorized spokesman for the County Board on matters relating to public transit.

—Approved execution of a Rehab. Fund Agreement with Grayling State Bank to provide a fund for zero percent deferred loans to enhance the City of Grayling's Milltown theme. These are for commercial properties, and a project of the County Housing, Rehab. and Community Development Commission.

—Authorized execution of the 1985 Special Use Permit for the Fish Hatchery, pending review to assure there are no changes from last year.

—Approved payment of \$1,560.00 to Interior Wall Specialists, and \$672.00 to Art's Lodi Shop & Safe Service from the General Fund, and \$38.35 to Duraframe Dipnet from the Hatchery Fund.

—Adopted a resolution waiving the reduction in retirement allowance for employees who retire at age 55 with 25 or more years of credited service in the Michigan Employees Retirement System.

—Approved purchase of the Grayling Railroad Depot from the Dept. of Transportation for \$1,000.00.

—Executed the Friend of the Court Incentive Payment Program Certificate, which certifies Crawford County's 1985 General Fund appropriation will be no less than \$44,016.00.

—Appointed Bernard Fowler the County's representative to the 1985 Tax Allocation Board.

—Amended the 1985 General Fund Budget by increasing revenues by \$36,323.00, which reflects receipt of additional revenue sharing funds, and increasing budget stabilization by an equal amount.

—Further amended the General Fund Budget by decreasing budget stabilization by \$52,025.00, and increasing the following line items by the amounts stated: Sheriff Dept. Vehicle Purchase - \$23,157.00, Undersheriff Salary - \$468.00, Purchasing Dept. - \$1,200.00, Economic Development - \$500.00, Corporate Counsel - \$14,000.00, Grants Local Match - \$2,000.00, Building & Grounds, Improvements - \$8,000.00 and Contractual Services - \$2,700.00.

—Authorized the Chairperson to call a special meeting of Building & Personnel, and appoint alternate members if regular members are unable to attend, for the purpose of discussing replacement of the Equalization Director.

—Adopted a resolution supporting designation of the Northeast Mich. Consortium as a "Community Growth Alliance" through the Dept. of Commerce.

—Formally requested that the Landfill Board consider making the \$13,500.00 equipment payment due in 1985.

—Appointed Barbara Slesky and Fran Hanson to the Commission on Aging.

—Authorized Joyce to attend the April 30th meeting of the MAC Labor Committee.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:

—Heard a report on the special meeting held with supervisors of General Fund departments and agencies to discuss the County's financial problems. The meeting was productive; and all comments and suggestions have been taken under consideration.

—Discussed with the City Manager the status of liability insurance for units involved in sponsoring fireworks displays, and the salary increase given to the Transportation Authority Director. The Director, Morford said, is paid from Dial-A-Ride funds; and his airport duties are voluntary. The Director has not yet accepted the wage increase.

—Met with Senator Binsfeld's Representative, and requested she coordinate a public meeting to discuss a means of securing an increase in the 10 cents per acre in lieu of tax presently paid on military land.

—Heard an update on activities of the Sheriff Dept. from Sheriff Hatfield.

—Were updated on the status of the Fair Housing and Airport Zoning Ordinance by the Clerk.

—Referred a DSS request for their first quarter allocation to the Ways & Means Committee.

—Learned from the Treasurer that the 1984 deficit appears to be \$30,818.00, and that after recognizing the \$36,323.00 in additional revenue sharing and unbudgeted 1985 expenditures, the 1985 Budget Stabilization Account has \$2,000.00 left. Wakeley's suggestions of cutting the Airport and Mental Health Appropriations by \$7,500.00 and \$5,000.00 respectively, and asking the Landfill Board to contribute \$5,000.00 to the 1985 equipment payment were referred to the Ways & Means Committee.

—Referred the Secretary of State's request for additional space to Building & Personnel.

—Reviewed a correspondence from Larry Hunter recommending Alfred Borchers for the position of Equalization Director.

—Commended Mrs. Blanche Miller from the Clerk's Office for an excellent job in setting the County up on its own computer system.

—Learned that Crawford DSS Director Beverly Cuthbert has accepted the Directorship of Grand Traverse County; and that a facility to house unwed teenage expectant mothers will be placed in Crawford County.

—Heard brief updates on insurance, and activities of D.P.W., NEMCOG, Planning and the Consortium.

Meeting adjourned at 4:49 p.m.

Full text of official minutes is available in the Office of the County Clerk.

County Clerk, Chairperson

Elizabeth H. Wieland, County Clerk

residing. Present were: Commissioner Grover Cason, Engineer-Manager Keir and Acting-Secretary Joanne Turner. Absent: Commissioner Kraus.

The minutes of March 8, 1985 were read. Commissioner Cason made a motion to accept the minutes as read, seconded by Chairman Parker. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payroll Voucher Number 6 in the amount of \$22,302.16 and Material checks numbered 8997 through 9050 in the amount of \$98,398.24 we presented to the board for approval of payment. The Board reviewed the submitted material and Commissioner Cason made a motion to accept the vouchers for payment, seconded by Chairman Parker.

Andie Neilson, Chairman of Roads & Bridges, appeared before the Board.

Permits were reviewed at this time. Shell Western to conduct seismic survey across the southern part of Crawford County and Frontier Exploration, Inc. to conduct a seismic survey in various areas of Lovells Township. The permits were signed.

Discussion was held on the spring weight limits on Crawford County local roads.

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Pauline G. Hatfield

Acting-Secretary

Norman L. Parker  
Chairman

### Grayling Township Board

Special Meeting — April 11, 1985

Members present: Blaauw, O'Mara, Ashton, Stancil.

Members absent: McLachlan

Guests: None

Meeting called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Supervisor Stancil.

Purpose of this meeting is to discuss specialized training for the assistant in the assessor's office.

Consideration discussion ensued.

Motion by Blaauw, supported by O'Mara, that Grayling Township pay enrollment fees for the Level I Michigan Assessor's Course being offered at Northwestern College April 11, 1985. That the tuition be repaid to the Township by Curt Marshall, assistant in the assessor's office, through a payroll deduction plan agreeable to both parties.

Roll call: Blaauw - aye, O'Mara - aye, Ashton - aye, McLachlan - absent, Stancil - aye, motion carried.

Motion to adjourn by O'Mara, supported by Ashton. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Monica S. Ashton, Clerk

### Grayling Township Board

Regular Meeting — April 9, 1985

Members present: Blaauw, McLachlan, O'Mara, Ashton, Stancil.

Members absent: None

Guests: Irene Peterson, Dale A. Peterson, Howard Guyett, Barb Sojka, Bob Chappel, Ivan W. Gwilt, Mary E. Harland, Len Hoofman, Ken Lashway.

Supervisor Stancil called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Motion by Blaauw, support by O'Mara to approve the minutes of March 12, 1985 regular meeting as presented. All ayes motion carried.

Motion by Ashton, support by McLachlan, to approve the treasurer's report as presented. All ayes, motion carried.

1. Ken Lashway of N.E.M.C.O.G., presented the Township Board with three bids received for conducting a Forest Products Industrial Rail Siding and Transloading Facility Feasibility Study for an Industrial Rail Siding and Transloading facility at the proposed Grayling Township Wood Products Industrial Park.

Motion by McLachlan, support by Ashton, to accept a bid of 12,400 by Granger Engineering of Gaylord, for the rail siding feasibility study. Roll call: Blaauw - aye, McLachlan - aye, O'Mara - aye, Ashton - aye, Stancil - aye, motion carried.

Correspondence: (No action, placed on file)

2. Revenue Sharing Advisory Service

3. Bernie Maurer

4. Lee VerStandig

5. N.A.T.A.T.

6. Carl Levin

7. Capitol Currents

8. General Telephone Co.

9. D.N.R.

10. Crawford AuSable Day Care Center

11. Sheriff's Dept. Report

12. Prisoner of War Committee

Business:

13. Len Hoofman, Consumer Power Co., presented franchise agreement to Board for review and possible action on June 11, 1985. The companies agreement with Grayling Township is due to expire June 21, 1985.

14. Motion by Ashton, support by McLachlan, to appoint Ruth M. O'Mara as the Grayling Township Board representative to the Crawford County Transportation Authority for a three year term expiring on same date as her term of office.

Roll call: Blaauw - aye, McLachlan - aye, O'Mara - aye, Ashton - aye, Stancil - aye, All ayes, motion carried.

15. Supervisor read three letters of application to serve as representative at large to the C.C.T.A.B.

Motion by Blaauw, support by Ashton, to appoint Robert Chappel to a one year term to C.C.T.A.B. expiring March 31, 1986.

Roll call: Blaauw - aye, McLachlan - abstain, O'Mara - aye, Ashton - aye, Stancil - aye, motion carried.

Mary Harland inquired as to the reason for McLachlan's abstention. McLachlan stated he had not been able to come to a decision he was comfortable with. Mrs. Harland felt McLachlan needed the permission of the Board to abstain.

Motion by O'Mara, supported by Ashton, to allow Trustee McLachlan to abstain on the C.C.T.A.B. appointment vote. Motion carried.

16. Assessing department report read and on file.

17. Trustees, Blaauw and McLachlan, requested Township Employment Policy be placed on the May 14, 1985 agenda for review.

18. Ashton reported that the Planning Commission will hold the first public hearing on a sign ordinance and amendments to the Zoning Ordinance 88-4 regarding temporary occupancy of trailer houses during construction of a home, on Tuesday, April 30, 1985, at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Office.

Mary Harland asked if Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance 88-4 needed to be amended to add satellite dishes under definitions as a structure. Township legal counsel has advised it is not necessary.

19. Building and Zoning Department report read and placed on file.

May 25 is heavy appliance day at the compactor (8:00 to 1:00).

20. Supervisor reported he began a Level I Michigan Assessors Course at Northwestern College in Traverse City on April 2, 1985. Level 11 will be offered this summer.

21. Motion by McLachlan, support by O'Mara, to authorize board members who choose to attend M.T.A. District No. 6 Meeting on May 24, 1985, at Grayling Holiday Inn.

Roll call: Blaauw - aye, McLachlan - aye, O'Mara - aye, Ashton - aye, Stancil - aye, All ayes, motion carried.

Topics of General Discussion:

22. Fourth of July Fireworks.

## Public Hearing on River Protection Bill To Be Held at Wa Wa Sum Lodge Apr. 26

A public hearing on a Michigan House Bill to protect rivers and creeks by using funds from fishing licenses will be held at 4:30 p.m., Friday, April 26, at the Wa Wa Sum Fisheries Research Station on the AuSable east of Grayling.

Michigan House Bill No. 4468 sponsored by Rep. Jerry Bartnik calls for 25 cents from each trout and salmon stamp be used for sediment control, erosion control, and other habitat protection or restoration on rivers and creeks. Nine rivers and creeks were listed to receive first consideration for funds: the Manistee, Pere Marquette, Jordan, Carp, Sturgeon, Maple, and Yellow Dog rivers along with Paint and Thompson Creek. Additional rivers or creeks may be designated by the Natural Resources Commission as funds become available.

## from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

April 25, 1928—First seeing eye dog given to a blind person.

April 26, 1959—Cuba invaded Panama.

April 27, 1960—South Korean President Rhee resigned in wake of "rigged" election scandal.

April 28, 1952—War with Japan formally ended.

April 29, 1952—Truman's seizure of steel industry ruled unconstitutional.

April 30, 1939—New York World's Fair opened.

May 1, 1898—Battle of Manila Bay.

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners at their office at 320 State Street, P.O. Box 674 until 10:00 a.m., May 3, 1985 at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for furnished the following:

### Three (3) 1/2 Ton Pickups (1985)

Detailed specifications and bid forms are available at the above office. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, waive irregularities in any bid, and to make an award as may appear to be in the best interest of Crawford County.

Norman F. Parker, Chairman

Gloria Kraus, Member

Grover Cason, Member

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## CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF

# Grayling State Bank

of Grayling, Michigan 49738 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business March 31, 1985, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this state and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authority and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

### Dollar Amounts in Thousands Mil.-Thou.

ASSETS	
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,254
b. Interest-bearing balances	7,200
2. Securities (from Schedule RC-B)	8,577
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	400
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:	
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income (from Schedule RC-C)	18,228
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	349
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve NONE	
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)	17,879
5. Assets held in trading accounts	NONE
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	270
7. Other real estate owned	193
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	NONE
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	NONE
10. Intangible assets	NONE
11. Other assets (from Schedule RC-F)	749
12. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)	36,522

### LIABILITIES

13. Deposits:	
a. In domestic offices (sum of totals of columns A and C from Schedule RC-E)	33,606
(1) Noninterest-bearing	2,983
(2) Interest-bearing	30,623
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	
(1) Noninterest-bearing	
(2) Interest-bearing	
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	NONE
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	NONE
16. Other borrowed money	NONE
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	NONE
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	NONE
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	NONE
20. Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G)	409
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)	34,015
22. Limited-life preferred stock	NONE

### EQUITY CAPITAL

23. Perpetual preferred stock	NONE
24. Common stock	720
25. Surplus	980
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves	807
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	
28. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)	2,507
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)	36,522

I, William J. Kraus, Exec. V.P., of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM J. KRAUS, Executive Vice-President

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true and correct.

Paul J. Thomson  
Larry McNamara  
Laurine R. Kraus  
Directors

State of Michigan County of Crawford ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of April, 1985.

JUDITH A. KAPETS, Notary Public

My Commission Expires August 7, 1985.

## Coffee Hours For Parents of Freshmen

In May, the high school counseling office will be holding special coffee hours specifically for parents of this year's freshmen.

These meetings will be an informal introduction to the counseling services available to your son or daughter throughout their high school years.

Topics to be covered will include graduation requirements, career planning, personal counseling, and academic counseling.

Letters will be mailed home giving dates and times of the meetings. Please call the high school counseling office, 348-7641 ext. 40, for further information.

### CARD OF THANKS

A big thank you to everyone who made my 84th birthday a day to remember. My daughter, Lillian who came from Saginaw with an Azalea in full bloom and took me out to dinner. On returning home I heard Happy Birthday being sung outside which was some of my friends from the Baptist Church in Frederic with Tulips and cards, I thank them for their love & sincerity. Also Ruby who took pictures of us and Pauline who helped to set it all up. All of you made a very special day for me. We old people can get lonesome at times but Prause God we can overcome it in Christ our Lord & Savior & Coming King.

Louise Hartig

## Attention! Lady Softball Players

It's that time of the year again! Time for the first meeting of the Grayling Women's Softball League. This organizational meeting will be held at Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel at 7:30 on Tuesday night, April 30th.

Established teams should have at least one representative in attendance. Any ladies who are interested in playing slow pitch softball who do not already belong to an existing team should attend also and we will help to put you on a team for the Summer of '85 season. This is a good opportunity to bring new ideas and new players to our league.

April 30th, 7:30 p.m. Chief Shoppenagon's. Be sure to mark it on your calendar!

## Attention Parents of 6th, 7th, and 8th Grades

The Middle School will be giving the California Achievement Test to all students on April 30, May 1 and 2, 1985, during the 2nd. & 3rd. hour classes, (9:40 - 11:17). Please help by scheduling doctor and dentist appointments for your child at other times.

Last years tests showed marked improvement over the previous years and we appreciate the part you, the parents played in making sure your child got a good nights sleep and a good breakfast on the test day. We're grateful for your support to help our students, your children do their best.

Mike Gardiner  
Middle School Counselor

## Par For The Course

Nice to see so many happy faces at the club opening. The weather has been beautiful for golf.

Tickets are now available at the club for the May 4th dinner and dance; also from the Chuck Ficks, Wayne Casters and Bernie Pottroffs.

Calls are also being made as reminders and to know how many to plan for. This party is for all members and their invited guests.

## China Painting Meeting Apr. 27

Michigan World Organization of China Painting will be meeting at the Grayling Holiday Inn on Saturday, April 17, starting with luncheon at 12:00 noon.

Guest speaker will be Evelyn Demeske, she will also be demonstrating painting Cherry blossoms. Everyone is welcome to bring their own paints & supplies. Cost of the luncheon is \$6.00.

## BPW to Meet

The Grayling chapter of Business and Professional Women (BPW) will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, May 2nd at the Grayling Holiday Inn. Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. with the business meeting immediately following.

The highlight of the evening will be the installation of new officers. The new officers will be: Elsie Jansen as president (second term), Ruth Smith for vice president, secretary Joyce Brackenbury, and Arlene Cruz as treasurer. The installation ceremony will be conducted by the District III Director, Audrey Lau of Elk Rapids.

If you would like more information about BPW, contact president Elsie Jansen at 348-5572 evenings.

## NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

The Grayling Township Planning Commission has drafted proposed amendments to Zoning Ordinance 83-4 which will be submitted to the Grayling Township Board for adoption in the near future. The first public hearing on these proposed amendments will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 30, 1985, at the Grayling Township office, West M-72 Plaza.

The proposed amendments would allow for Temporary Occupancy of trailer houses during construction of a home. Copies of these amendments can be obtained at the Grayling Township office during regular business hours. Correspondence concerning this matter should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738. Tel. 517/348-4361.

## Kirtland Commencement Friday, May 3rd



Mrs. Mary Sinclair  
Commencement Speaker

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## NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF Beaver Creek Township

The Beaver Creek Township Board has resolved to proceed with hardsurfacing of the roads in Holiday Heights #1, Holiday Heights #2 and Roy-L Estates. Plans and cost estimates are on file with the Township Clerk. A public hearing will be held on May 13, 1985 at 7:00 p.m. at the Beaver Creek Township Hall to tentatively establish the assessment district and the amount of the assessment. Residents are encouraged to attend. Florence Nelson Township Clerk

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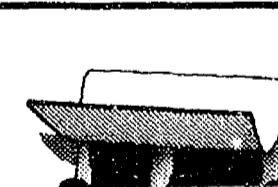
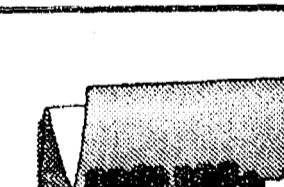
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## Chamber Chatter

When you think Spring - your thoughts drift to home improvements. Now is the time to consult your builder or supplier about plans for new construction or renovation of your existing property. The opportunity to see all the new things on Home Improvements will be displayed at the Grayling Annual Home Show. The exhibition is scheduled for May 4th, 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. and on May 5th from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The place is the former Fred Bear Museum Building at Hanson Hills.

Exhibitors are selecting their booth space and the response is most reassuring. We will have a fine show. The admission is 50 cents and entitles the ticket holder for a chance to win the Grand Prize that has value of several hundred dollars. The Grand Prize is something that everyone can use. There is plenty of parking space, toilet facilities, benches & refreshments are available. Plan now to attend.

The Chamber of Commerce just completed its annual election of members to the Board of Directors. Newly elected Board Members whose terms will expire on May 31, 1988 are Col. Ivan Gwilt, Camp Grayling Commander; Mike McNamara, Mac's Drug Store; Randy Thompson, Century 21 Realty; and Norma Naour, Cornell Realty. Col. Gwilt and Norma Naour are re-elected while Randy Thompson and Mike McNamara are new to the board. Election of officers will take place at the regular Board Meeting held on May 9th as a luncheon meeting. Officers are elected from the Board of Directors. A Nominating Committee will recommend candidates for the ensuing year.

One week after the election of officers of the Chamber, on May 16th, there will be the Annual Banquet at which time the reigns of boardship will change hands. The Annual Banquet is scheduled to be held at the Red Barn. Tentative actions will include a farewell speech by outgoing President Kathy Ashton. The new President is expected to reveal the program of work and goals for the coming year. Outgoing officers besides President Ashton are: Joanne Cox, of Holiday Inn,

First Vice President; John Alef, Grayling State Bank, Second Vice President and Dr. Paul Mesack, Animal Hospital, Treasurer. Leaving the Board are Donna Masker, Old Kent Bank and Jim Packard, Mercy Hospital whose appointed terms have expired.

This week we welcome two new members into the Chamber of Commerce. Mary's Corner Book Swap is located at 200 Michigan Ave. and is owned and operated by Mary Coy.

The Cedar Motel at 606 Cedar has changed hands and is now owned and operated by Bruce and Cathy McGuire. We extend our most cordial welcome to them both and look forward to working with them for the betterment of the Grayling area.

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Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m.

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Chapel Service ..... 11:00 a.m.

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Elem. Childrens Choir ..... Thurs. 3:30 p.m.  
Handbell Choir ..... Thursdays 6:30 p.m.  
Senior Choir ..... Thursdays 7:30 p.m.  
Youth Choir ..... Sundays 5:30 p.m.  
Youth Fellowship, Jr. & Sr. Sun. 6:30 p.m.  
Women's Bible Study ..... Wed. 9:30 a.m.

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Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting ..... Wed. 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday Evening ..... 6:00 p.m.  
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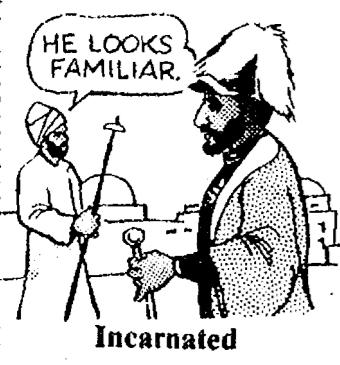
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## Courthouse Squares



The Rastafarians believe that God, whom they call Jah, was incarnated as the late Emperor of Ethiopia, Haile Selassie, says National Geographic. Many of them think he walks today as a man among men in another identity.

## Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In The Probate Court For  
The County of Crawford

File No. 4265

PUBLICATION AND  
NOTICE OF HEARING  
In the matter of DANIEL  
ROBERT HILGENDORF,  
deceased. Social Security  
Number 364-74-6566.

TAKE NOTICE: On May 15, 1985 at 11:00 A.M., in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. Emil L. Kraus Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Marie Joyce Hilgendorf to be appointed Personal Representative of Daniel Robert Hilgendorf who died at 11076 Leline Road, Roscommon, Michigan 48653 and who died on 7-28-84.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that all creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the deceased must be presented personally or by mail to the attorney for the Estate, John P.S. Miller or to the Personal Representative and to the Court within four months of the date of this publication or such claims will be barred against the estate, the Independent Personal Representative, the attorney for the Estate and the heirs and devisees of the deceased.

Marie Joyce Hilgendorf  
11076 Leline Rd.,  
Rt. 4, Box 91B  
Roscommon, Mich. 48653  
(517) 275-4025

John P.S. Miller (P30879)  
101 S. Lake St.,  
P.O. Box 287  
Roscommon, Mich. 48653  
(517) 275-4131

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## Claims Notice

File No. 4183  
STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In The Probate Court For  
The County of Crawford

Estate of Edward Nelson  
Walker, deceased.  
Date of Death: 04/11/84  
Social Security No.: 363-24-  
9043-A

TAKE NOTICE: Creditors of Edward Nelson Walker, Deceased, whose last-known address was: P.O. Box 145, Grayling, Michigan 49738 are notified that all claims against the Decedent's Estate are barred against the Estate, the Personal Representative, and the heirs and the devisees of the Decedent, unless, within FOUR (4) MONTHS after the date of publication of this Notice, or FOUR (4) MONTHS after the claim becomes due, whichever is later, the claim is presented to the following Personal Representative, at the following address: WILLIAM L. CAREY, Personal Representative, P.O. Drawer 665, Grayling, Michigan 49738.

William L. Carey P31602  
P.O. Drawer 665  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
(517) 348-5232

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## Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 4/28-5/4/85

ARIES  
Mar. 21-Apr. 19  
The economics of everyday living is your chief concern these days. Watch the credit card complex -- keep charges down.

TAURUS  
Apr. 20-May 20  
Others look to you for sound, stable thinking in settling a dispute over a partnership deal.

GEMINI  
May 21-June 20  
Be prepared for additional responsibilities that are sure to follow on the advancement of your occupational status.

CANCER  
June 21-July 22  
Creative fields of your life are stimulated. Where one door closes another one opens. Prepare yourself.

LEO  
July 23-Aug. 22  
Roll out the welcome mat. Like it or not, you will have some interesting visitors to your home.

VIRGO  
Aug. 23-Sept. 22  
There's an overwhelming desire for change. It's time to take a trip and experience new horizons.

LIBRA  
Sept. 23-Oct. 22  
Keep an eye on assets and things you treasure. Your financial structure undergoes change. Spending can get out of hand.

SCORPIO  
Oct. 23-Nov. 21  
Watch for opportunity to push for business advantage. Work out the restless urgencies in constructive ways. Stay busy.

SAGITTARIUS  
Nov. 22-Dec. 21  
Stay away from those who have proven to be unreliable. Keep the changes you have in mind under wraps.

CAPRICORN  
Dec. 22-Jan. 19  
Friendships may prove to be a source of heartache at this time. Adjust to circumstances. The picture brightens shortly.

AQUARIUS  
Jan. 20-Feb. 18  
A misunderstanding strains a business relationship. Be your usual diplomatic self and the situation eases -- and things look brighter than before.

PISCES  
Feb. 19-Mar. 20  
Avoid impulses that could lead to costly litigation. Strive for harmony in communal matters. Be considerate of others.

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Legal Notice  
STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In The Probate Court For  
The County of Crawford  
File No. 4269  
PUBLICATION AND  
NOTICE OF CLAIMS  
Cut-off Date

Estate of Edythe Grace Brown, Deceased. Social Security No. 364-38-5706. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to First of America Bank-Central, c/o Robert M. Crosser, 1102 Michigan National Tower, Lansing, Michigan 48933, and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before July 17, 1985, the time limited for presentation of claims. Notice is further given that the Estate will thereupon be assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

All persons are hereby notified that the deceased last resided at Timberview Village, Frederic, Michigan, and died on November 19, 1984. Dated April 17, 1985. First of America Bank-Central

Shari L. Smith, Trust Officer  
101 S. Washington Sq.  
P.O. Box 30120  
Lansing, Mi 48909  
(517) 374-5297

Robert M. Crosser P12356  
1102 Mich. National Tower  
Lansing, Mi 48933  
(517) 374-6430

## Business Directory

## Dr. Ralph E. Hoffman

## Dr. James Seals

## Optometrists

## 904 Michigan Avenue

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Grayling, Michigan 48738

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## TOP SOIL — REDIMIX

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Saginaw, Mich. 48603

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## 348-5811

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**Attention Kids****Grades K - 6**

Mt. Hope Lutheran Church is sponsoring a Movie Night, April 28, 1985 at 7:00. We will have refreshments and a fun filled evening. 75¢ per person. Hope to see you there!

**Grayling Elementary School**

On Friday, March 22, a locksmith named Mr. Tessin came. He came to demonstrate what he does for a living. He showed us a bunch of different kinds of locks and keys. He showed us a lock with a magnet for a key. He explained how to pick a lock. He gave us each a key. He passed a lock around with a key in it. He told us all about padlocks. He showed us some different kinds of padlocks. By Melissa Keesler, 4th grade.

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**NEW SPORTS STORE OWNER** — Ben Rice, a former Midland resident, has purchased the Old AuSable Sporting Goods store in downtown Grayling and will be expanding it into a year-round business. The store features fishing poles and equipment, fly tying supplies, flies, bow hunting supplies, taxidermy services, and river-boat guide service. Rice will also be adding guns and ammunition at the store, which is open Tuesday through Sunday 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**Volunteers  
Needed**

The Positive Parenting Program in Crawford County is looking for caring volunteers interested in helping new or expectant young parents. Goals of the program match volunteers with young parents to be a friend and assist in any needs they might have. Please call the program coordinator, Joanne Scott, or Marie Mahaney, at the District Health Dept., 348-2841, ext. 258 if you are interested in learning more about Positive Parenting.

If you are a new or expectant parent who would like a friend to help you, please call the Health Dept., 348-2841, ext. 258.

**Booster Club  
Scholarship  
Applications**

The Grayling Youth Booster Club scholarship applications for high school seniors can be obtained at the Grayling High School or the Crawford County Library.

Applications must be returned to the school or library on or before Wednesday, May 8th or mailed to Rose Duley, Rt. 1 Box 1523A, Grayling and postmarked no later than May 8th in order to be eligible.

Please note; this year applications are being offered to high school seniors only.

**Bowling Leagues****PIONEER LEAGUE**

1. Dawsons	35
2. Main Street Florals	35
3. NNB	33
4. Millikin	28
5. Skip's Sport Shop	27
6. Terry & Dave's 76	26
7. Avalanche	18
8. Cornell Agency	18
9. High Game: J. Hinds & P. Millikin	192
10. K. Morill 96, D. Anthony 192	
11. High Series: P. Millikin 570, N. Ginerick 537, N. Millikin 509	

**TRIANGLE LEAGUE**

1. Airway Automation	142
2. Devil's Jawclers	131
3. Jack the Tinner	128
4. Straits Corp.	123½
5. Karmy's Trash & Ghe	121
6. Smock's Bombers	116½
7. Parsons Advertising	111½
8. High Game: M. Fiske 225, R. Roonie 211, J. Gordon 209	86½

**SENIOR CITIZENS**

1. Flowers by Josie	73½
2. Great Lakes	56½
3. Cornell Ins.	65
4. Larry & Joan's	65
5. ProMart	56½
6. Grayling Restaurant	58
7. R & H Sports	49½
8. Chemical Bank North	44

**NATIONAL 1st DIVISION**

1. Eagles 3465	69
2. Red Barn	69
3. Carlisle Paddles	68
4. Budweiser	65
5. Legion Lounge	62
6. Dan & Magg's	56½
7. Spikes Keg O' Nails	48½
8. Bear's Country Inn	45

**HIGH SERIES**

9. Eagle's Red Barn Co-Champs	45
10. AMERICAN 1st DIV.	
11. Heise Firewood	31
12. R & H Sports	27
13. Carols Mobil	26
14. Arrowhead Inn	23
15. Moose Lodge	22½
16. Ron's Auction Ser.	20

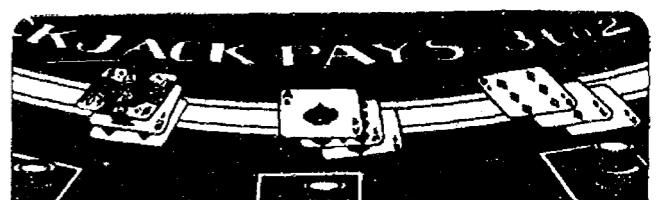
**RECREATION LEAGUE**

17. Glen's Market	19
18. High Series: D. Canfield 564, R. Metzler 559, G. Selfert 562	45
19. High Game: R. Metzler 247, D. Belding 221, L. Davis Jr. 218	45
20. Eagles and Red Barn Co-Champs	45
21. AMERICAN 1st DIV.	
22. Heise Firewood	31
23. R & H Sports	27
24. Carols Mobil	26
25. Arrowhead Inn	23
26. Moose Lodge	22½
27. Ron's Auction Ser.	20
28. Glen's Market	19
29. High Series: D. Canfield 564, R. Metzler 559, G. Selfert 562	45
30. High Game: D. Micek 213, Ashton 203, M. Perez & V. Hart 193	45
31. High Series: M. Perez 544, K. Ashton 528, D. Micek 512	45

**70th Anniversary****Open House**

Blanche and John LaMotte will be exchanging wedding vows and celebrating their 70th wedding anniversary with an open house on Wednesday, April 24, 1985 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Grayling Health Care Center.

Friends are invited to drop in and wish them well.

**HANSON HILLS****LAS VEGAS NIGHT**

**APRIL 27, 1985**

7:00 p.m.

**Tickets are available at  
Hanson Hills or from any  
Board Member.**

Proceeds for General Fund: \$500.00 per person limitation.

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**THIS COUPON WORTH  
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VALID ONE TIME — ONE UNIT ONLY

**THIS COUPON WORTH  
\$50.00**  
TOWARDS THE CASH PURCHASE OF ANY NEW  
**CONSOLE TELEVISION**  
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**THIS COUPON WORTH  
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TOWARDS THE CASH PURCHASE OF ANY NEW  
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**THIS COUPON WORTH  
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TOWARDS THE CASH PURCHASE OF ANY NEW  
**COLOR TELEVISION**  
April 1st to April 30th, 1984  
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**THIS COUPON WORTH  
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TOWARDS THE CASH PURCHASE OF ANY NEW  
**GAS OR ELECTRIC RANGE**  
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VALID ONE TIME — ONE UNIT ONLY

**THIS COUPON WORTH  
\$10.00**  
TOWARDS THE CASH PURCHASE OF ANY ONE BLACK & WHITE  
**RCA TELEVISION**  
April 1st to April 30th, 1984  
VALID ONE TIME — ONE UNIT ONLY

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Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. -- Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**Community Calendar of Events**

Apr. 26 - Best of the Bands - Grayling High School - 5:30-9:30 p.m.  
Apr. 27 - Best of the Bands - Grayling High School 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
May 4 - Mercy Running Clinic - Mercy Hospital 10:00 a.m. - 12 Noon  
May 4 - Trout Unlimited Banquet - Holiday Inn - 6:00 p.m. Reservations phone 348-9284 or 348-5196  
May 4 - Grayling Home Show - Hanson Hills Museum Bldg. 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Sponsored by Chamber of Commerce.  
May 5 - Grayling Home Show - Hanson Hills Museum Bldg. 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Phone in your public events to:

348-2921.

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